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$3700 Holdup of Farmer Near Cape Puzzles Officers

The bold robbery of Thomas G. "Uncle Tom" May, 67, last Friday night in which he lost $3700, is puzzling Sheriff Nat Snider and deputies, who claim to have dozens of hot tips on he case. May was robbed on the Bloomfield Road while walking from the Verlin Sitzes place to the home of his son-in-law, 200 yards away.

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THE EDITOR SAYS—

In order to start something, I'll say we have the name of two citizens who have been given the insurance or a guarantee that they would be given a less rate or their bills would be less, by the Missouri Utilities Co., if they would change from the Municipal Plant to that corporation. So much whispering and nodding going on about our plant that it should be stopped or proven. In addition to the two names we have, if two more will advise The Standard of the same opposition, we'll lay it before the Public Service Commission and ask for an investigation.

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The latest piece of cussedness spilled off in New Madrid County proves conclusively that if ever any county anywhere needed officers who would do their duty instead of favoring friends, it is New Madrid County. It has been common talk for years that all sorts of games flourished in that county, that dozens of drinking joints flourished without molestation, that some of the purest and best whiskey ever distilled anywhere was made in that county, that dance halls harbored strumpets by the dozens We have never visited any of these places and intend to, but why they were permitted to operate is a question for the officers to answer. The hell raised at or near Morehouse Sunday week and the holdup Saturday night just south of Sikeston should wake up the New Madrid County officers to the fact that they have been negligent in their duty. We understand perfectly that these nearby joints are kept up for and by Sikeston folks who like to roll the bones and quench their thirst. We are in hopes the next sheriff of that county will serve notice now and after the election that these joints will not be run openly nor permitted at all if possible to prevent.

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No, the editor is not afraid to print the names of those attending the surprise party down the road Saturday night, provided we had ALL the names, but as it was not a court case and no one hurt, why embarrass married men. It has been a joke to those not present, but no laughing matter to those in front of the gun.

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While our pencil is in good working condition, we wish to say that it has come to us that a man of questionable character has purchased a piece of ground near the new baseball park, where he expects to erect a resort of some sort after a new sheriff is sworn in If this be true, the operator thereof is hereby notified that home brew, liquor and gambling devices must be omitted, else he will have his expense for nothing as he will be carefully watched. This section of Scott County doesn't care to have joints so close under our nose.

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And again, men who spend their salary gambling and drinking do not deserve good jobs when so many family men need work and either drink or gamble.

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And now Mr. Hoover says to pay the bonus to the soldier boys at this time will slow up the return of prosperity, and it is probably true, but for the past three years we have waited for that elusive something to come from around the corner, that to wait a few years longer might not hurt. There is one thing certain, Mr. Hoover knows how and where to find the money for other things that have not helped the down and out and he might find some more money at the same place. The soldier boys would get action on their money immediately where it would be felt and where it would do some good, while no poor man has felt an uplift or gotten a full stomach out of the eighty million dollars Mr. Dawes got to bolster up his Chicago bank. The money frittered away on other things without results to help the unemployed or the busted farmer hasn't left the people in a very good humor to be patient and starve a little longer. It looks like Mr. Hoover feels the politician death just around the corner.

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The house from which Mike Dedoski, his wife and three children were evicted in Detroit Wednesday afternoon was in ruins Thursday, wrecked by a crowd of 500 persons who assembled armed with pick axes, crowbars and other implements of destruction. Police dispersed several hundred persons who threatened violence to a constable during the eviction. Police arrived too late to save the dwelling.

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Some dern fool up here in Cape County was robbed of $3700 in cold cash Saturday morning. He was afraid of banks and carried his money in a tobacco can. We are not afraid of banks, so do not actually carry that much money with us.

Scott County Red Cross Chapter Needs Volunteers to Make Up 9000 Yards of Donated Cloth

F. E. Mount, Scott County Red Cross Chapter, today issued a call for volunteers to assist in sewing garments from cloth donated to relief work by act of Congress. The Scott County Chapter will receive a total of nine thousand yards of material, or about 3600 yards less than a minium estimate.

Mr. Mount's call for workers reads:

Nine thousand yards of materials consisting of gingham, prints, shirting, outing flannel and bird's-eye have been alloted to the Chapter by the National Red Cross from cotton appropriated by the Congress of the United States to make clothing for the actual needy of the chapter. This goods is all yardage and the garment making must be done by each local community, with volunteer service.

The Sikeston branch has procured through the courtesy of John J. Miller the vacant store room formerly occupied by Mouser's Grocery in the DelRey Hotel Building for its work-room and are now busy trying to equip same for service.

Mrs. J. N. Ross and Mrs. E. C. Matthews have volunteered their services as chairman and assistant chairman respectively of the production service committees: I am therefore requesting each church of the Chapter to organize into groups of twenty or more and report to the chairman of production, Mrs. J. N. Ross, the names and local addresses of each volunteer of each group.

The chairman will assign to each group one day per week.

If there be other groups aside from church groups—such as the American Legion Auxiliary, W. C. T. U., Woman's Club, W. B. A., Rebekahs, Eastern Star, D. A. R., etc., the chairman will be glad to give them assignments.

Sewing machines are especially solicited as we find our equipment very short on these items. If any of the different groups can furnish their own machine either electric or otherwise we shall be glad to transport them from the home ot the workroom. The room will be well equipped for the use of electric machines.

The goods are expected to arrive this week and will be distributed to all branches of the Chapter as rapidly as possible, and may we express the hope that all branches will be ready to start production as soon as the goods are delivered. Have your organizations perfected and ready for service.

Through the courtesy of the Singer Sewing Machine Company and A. E. Shankle, local representative, the Red Cross Sewing room is being equipped with sixteen machines.

WILL NOT TOLERATE PUNCH BOARDS AND SLOT MACHINES HERE —Scott

Please pass the word down the line through your newspaper that we will not tolerate slot machines and punch boards in Scott County, said Sheriff Tom Scott to a Standard representative Friday morning.

This warning will be followed by action and arrest for violators, the sheriff promises. In some manner word has been circulated that "protection" had been obtained for such devices in this county, and it is a known fact that several boards and machines do exist in Sikeston and this part of the county.

"We do not want to embarrass anyone", said Mr. Scott, Friday, "but the boys can rest assured that we mean business".

PICKLE DILL PAYS SMALL FINE IN CAPE GIRARDEAU J. P. COURT

Hildreth Dill, local youth, pleaded guilty Friday morning to a charge of reckless driving, and was fined $5 and costs by Gus Schultz, Cape Girardeau Justice of the Peace. Dill was arrested September 4 by Trooper Charles E. Pearson.

SIKESTONIANS GUESTS OF FARMINGTON C. OF C.

Monday of last week, C. H. Denman and Major C. L. Malone were guests of the Farmington Chamber of Commerce and of The News of that city, gave the following report of their visit:

"Mr. Denman gave a very interesting and pleasing talk not only on conditions in Sikeston, but conditions in Farmington as he sees them today. He was very complimentary in his remarks concerning the progress of the town, but stated that it was his belief that the prosperity of smaller towns depended a great deal on a payroll, highway facilities and beautifying the towns. He called attention to the fact that the city of Farmington is in great need of a public park and many of our business houses would have a much better appearance if they were modernized by new display windows and removal of obsolete porches.

"After Mr. Denman's talk, President Gentges introduced Major Malone, President of the Sikeston Chamber of Commerce. Major Malone gave a very interesting history of the activities of the Chamber of Commerce of Sikeston and the co-operation that body had received from other organizations, such as the American Legion and Lions Club. He also stated that the Chamber of Commerce of Sikeston had always had the hearty support of the Press. tory has been to his town and Major Malone told of the great benefit the International Shoe Faccounty and he was very proud to report the progress they had made in beautifiyng their city. It is a well known fact that Sikeston is one of the very few prosperous towns in Southeast Missouri. All present gained a great deal of valuable information from Major Malone's talk".

Man With Many Names Evades Officers After Passing Worthless Checks

Homer Short, alias C. S. Rogers, alias Homer Thomas, alisa Homer Harris, alias Homer Shaw, is wanted in and near Sikeston, Blytheville, Ark., Memphis, Tenn., Poplar Bluff and incidently in Lansing, Mich. Highway patrolmen of Troop E, located here, have been informed to that effect.

Mr. Short, Rogers, Thomas, Harris or Shaw first visited Sikeston about one month ago, when he cashed a "Cashier's Check" for $7.00 at the Simpson Oil Station, near the intersection of Highways 60 and 61. Herman Banoy noticed the man in town last Thursday afternoon and gave chase, finally apprehending his man on Highway 60, west of the city. The stranger drove back to the Trousdale filling station, changed a $10 bill, and made good the bad check held by Bandy.

Officers were not notified of this incident, and did not discover the country-wide popularity of the man until later.

Since that time E. A. Bandy, accompanied Brown Jewell, constable on another chase. Their man drove rapidly, going north on Highway 61, but the Bandy-Jewell combination finally caught up when near Benton, and started to make an arrest. Their prisoner identified himself as a detective also working on the Short, Rogers, Thomas, Harris, Shaw case.

Since that time Jack Lancaster, who operates the Sensenbaugh 'Y station south of the city, has notified officers that he also holds a $10.00 memento drafted on a Caruthersville bank, and given by the popular tourist.

He used the name Homer Shaw.

In checking up on the man with many names, Highway Patrol officials learned that he is wanted on a charge of rape in Lansing, Mich., and that Memphis, Tenn., Blytheville, Ark., Poplar Bluff and possibly other merchants and garagemen are anxious to have words with their former customer.

He is described as "about 28 years old, six feet, 180 pounds, light hair, rather corpulent".

When in Sikeston the first time Shaw drove a Dodge automobile according to Arba Sensenbaugh. He was later seen driving a Chevrolet coach, Michigan license No. 548-348 or 587-202, repainted and altered since his second visit to Sikeston.

FAIR TO GOOD BUSINESS REPORTED BY FIRMS HERE

Local merchants report one of the best week-ends of the season Friday and Saturday largely due to the fact that cotton harvesting is at its height. Favorable weather of the past two weeks allowing pickers uninterrupted work and selling has been marked despite the fact that the market has declined in the past ten to fifteen days.

A box of Post's Bran Flakes awaits Mrs. A. C. Etzel at The Standard office. Just clip this local and call at the office for your Bran Flakes.

PATROL CAPTAIN CORRECTS NEWS STORY OF ARREST

The following news story is reprinted from the New Madrid Record of September 16 relative to ar arrest made just northeast of Sikeston last Tuesday night about 9 o'clock.

AN UNJUST FINE

L A. Richards, Jr., while returning from Cape Girardeau Tuesday in the Richard's Undertaking Company's ambulance and driving at a rate of twenty miles an hour at the outskirts of Sikeston, was arrested and fined $13.50 in the city courts of Sikeston. Mr. Richards is one of our city's best citizens, has always been a most careful driver and has never had an accident or been charged with fast driving, and the officer at Sikeston making the arrest must have been out to bring in all fines possible. In this instance he evidently overstepped his authority as a speed of 20 miles per hour is not an excessive speed.

Mr. Richard had taken Lucille Dunn, a colored woman, to the Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau, and was enroute home when the officer stopped him and filed a charge against him for fast driving. The charge is untrue and should be dismissed.

Actual facts in the case were released to this newspaper at the request of Sikeston business men who wish to correct the impression left by the Record's story, that arrests are being made in this vicinity "merely for a fee".

"Slow" signs and lamp flares had been posted approximately 100 yards north and south of the entrance of Sikeston baseball park in which Downie Brothers Circus was located Tuesday night, in order to control unusually heavy traffic at that point, Highway Patrol officials point out. One trooper had been posted on the center line of Highway 61 at the entrance to the park, to direct north and south, and traffic into and out of the park.

In order to avoid the possibility of an accident to Trooper Brooks, Wade Shankle, weight officer, stationed there in the emergency, planned to train his spot light on the trooper. While Shankle moved his car in position the Richard ambulance came through traffic from the north, riding the black center line. Exceptionally quick footwork on the part of Trooper Brooks avoided getting run down by the machine.

The arrest of Mr. Richards followed, not on a charge of fast driving, but on a justifiable charge of reckless driving.

The driver admitted, according to Officer Shankle, that he had just passed a car on the curve ahead of the flares, and that his attention was directed towards circus lights, and that he failed to see the flares and slow signs.

Insead of filing three traffic violations, only one, reckless driving, was filed. Mr. Richards in crowding the center line, and endangering the life of a trooper, created one potential charge; disregarding the warning, slow signs, created another, and passing a car on a curve, created the third.

No attempt is made to "make arrests in order to bring all fines possible" insofar as Highway Patrol, or local peace officers are concerned. As a matter of fact, the Patrol Headquarters office here points out, the proportions of warnings to ctual arrests runs about 100 to 1.

BOLD BAD MEN HOLD UP BANK CRAP GAME, UNDRESS CUSTOMERS AND ESCAPE WITH $350 SATURDAY

Four bold bad men with the nerve of Al Capone, using the methods of the famous James Boys, minus horses, held up a bank crap game operated by Doc Price, about 3½ miles south of Sikeston Saturday night, stripped a half dozen or eight customers down to nudist colony garb and escaped with cash, watches and jewelry estimated at $350 to $400.

The quartet of men in a Chevrolet sedan with Illinois license arrived at the alleged joint about 10 o'clock, cleaned out the "banker" by taking all money in sight on the table, and then started a systematic search of customers.

One of the latter, a Sikeston young man holding a responsible position in business and in Republican circles, is reported to have lost $65 cash and a watch. Others in the crowd of Saturday night boys lost amounts ranging from a few dollars up.

Another group which lost not only all ready cash, but clothing as well had driven down from Blodgett to spend a quiet evening at dice.

Following the high-handed, thorough cleanout of the place, the four gentlemen robbers equipped with two sawed-off shotguns and two revolvers, herded their victims into a nearby storm cellar, and covered the opening with a piece of sheet metal. In order to discourage any attempt at removing the improvised door one of the happy foursome suggested firing a shot into the dungeon.

After spending nearly two hours during which time the customers and the banker spent several anxious moments, and during which interval the holdup men consumed most of the available home brew and liquor at the place, the foursome departed, driving east on the lane headed toward Highway 61.

The gang prevented any possibility of being followed by systematically smashing ignition switches and distributor caps on the several automobiles with a hammer. In a few cases they locked automobiles, threw keys into the weeds, and thus discouraged their would-be followers, if any, who were more concerned with finding shoes, trousers and other pieces of clothing removed at the request ? ? ? ? of the hosts.

It was in this lane leading to the highway that another Sikeston twosome, one of the town boys and a popular bootblack, met their dose of truble.

The bootblack lost a dollar watch, while his white companion parted with six or eight good, sound American dollars quoted at par on any exchange in the world. In order to prevent being followed by this late arrival, keys to the machine were thrown away, and the distributor cap thrown away. By calling upon a nearby farmer the auto owner finally managed to piece together enough parts from two cars to run back to town.

Officers Brown Jewell and Trooper Brooks responded to a call, but the quartet hapnier by a margin of several pints of liquor, and richer by some $350 and a miscellaneous collection of coats, trousers, B. V. D's, etc., had disappeared.

MISS NUSSBAUM HAS SUCCESSFUL OPENING FOR DANCING SCHOOL

Miss Carlyn Nussbaum of Cape Girardeau, who last Wednesday opened her school of dancing here in the Sikeston Armory, reports a very successful opening with quite a number of students enrolled and much interest shown.

Miss Nussbaum is conducting three classes—a baby class, an intermedite class and a class for high school girls. She teaches tap, toe, ballet, eccentric, acrobatic, interpertive and ballroom dancing. She expects to begin right away making plans for a revue to be given at the Malone Theatre, one of which she hopes to present every month.

WOOLWORTH EMPLOYEES HOLD ALL-DAY MEETING IN POPLAR BLUFF SUNDAY

Fourteen members of the local Woolworth Store force, including Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. McAimus and Mr. and Mrs. James Crooks were guests of the Poplar Bluff Woolworth force Sunday at an all-day meeting at the Poplar Bluff store. Local employees inspected the Poplar Bluff store, getting pointers on arrangements of display. At noon the entire group enjoyed a spread luncheon at waterworks park.

Following an afternoon of entertainment another short meeting was held at the store, after which the visitors returned home. Plans are being made for a similar meeting at Cape Girardeau in the near future, which both the Sikeston and Poplar Bluff forces will attend.

San Clemente Whale Will Arrive Here Tuesday for 2-Day Exhibition



The San Clemente Whale which will be exhibited here by the Pacific Whaling Company, Inc., will arrive in Sikeston Tuesday over the Frisco railroad and the special built exhibition car will be parked here for two days on the siding at the Frisco depot Wednesday and Thursday, September 21 and 22.

This interesting biological study will be open soon after arrival and may be viewed by the public both day and night during the stay in this city. The exhibition car, measuring over 70 feet long is manned by a crew of real whalers, ten in all. The special built car travels in fast freight service and is so constructed that in a few hours after arrival it will accommodate unlimited crowds that go aboard to view the body of the mammoth whale.

The big sea-monster measuring over 60 feet in length and weighing over 70 ton, was captured off the Catalina Island in the Pacific waters July 16th by the Pacific Whaling Company of Long Beach, Calif. The whale was sighted at 11 a. m. and finally run down at 3 p. m. sixty miles south of San Clemente. One clean shot from the harpoon gun of the "killer-boat "Hawk", neatly did the trick. Within forty minutes after being harpooned the big whale was being towed to the mother ship, Lansing.

Alongside the whaling ship, the mammoth body was inflated with air, then towed to a specially constructed barge where the embalming process took place. This procedure taking about eight days in all, with thousands of gallons of chemical and preservatives used by expert curators and preservers of marine life especially engaged to place the huge body in a state of preservation, making the transcontinental exhibition an educational tour of the whale possible.

The exhibition crew headed by Captain L. M. Barnett and his mates, all real whalers, will be here with the exhibit and are prepared to answer any and all questions that may be asked them by the public regarding whales and whaling. The exhibit also carri two mammoth jaw bones of a monster whale, each weighing over 1500 pounds. Several barrels of oil was extracted from the bones alone.

The whale car will be brilliantly illuminated by hundreds of powerful lights and a mammonth searchlight taken from the whale boat "Hawk", will radiate the sky at night and is claimed to be visible at a distance of twenty miles.

Malone's Pharmacy for prescriptions.

Negro Women Held For Wounding Man In Ice Pick Attack

Lucille Corby, negro woman, was held by New Madrid County officers Saturday, charged with attacking Calvine Monroe. The latter negro was found suffering from four stab wounds, alleged to have been inflicted with an ice pick during an altercation Saturday night on the Binford place, two and one-half miles east of Matthews.

Officers discovered that the trouble started at a four-way party involving Sam Sherman and his wife, Winnie, the Corby woman and her man, Monroe. Shells found on the cabin floor led to the arrest of Winnie Sherman, who was found in possession of a .32 caliber revolver.

Deputy Sheriff Otto Burnett of New Madrid County arrested an even dozen negroes Saturday night at a boarding house on the Houck farm, near Matthews, on charges of peace disturbance. Burnett followed up his clean up activities Sunday by picking up eight more negroes at Canalou on similar charges.

MRS. GLENN GENTRY SUCCUMBS THURSDAY

Mrs. Pearl Gentry, wife of Glenn Gentry, died last Thursday afternoon at the Emergency Hospital from complications arising from an operation for appendicitis. She was born in Morehouse December 8, 1909 and died September 15, last, at the age of 22 years, 9 months and 7 days.

Surviving besides her husband, are four children, three sons and one daughter, her mother, Mrs. Flo Kibby of Cape Girardeau, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary McIntosh and Mrs. Jane Price of Harrisburg, Illinois.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon 2:00 o'clock at the local Methodist church with Rev. J. F. E. Bates officiating. Interment in Sikeston city cemetery, Welsh in charge.

Members of the family attending services were: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whiteside and daughter, Marjorie, and Mrs. Myrtle Stickney of Carbondale, Ill., Mrs. Mary McIntosh of Cape Girardeau, Mr. and Mrs. James Price of Harrisburg, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sutton of Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Dollie Hinkle of Chaffee, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Daniels of Malden, Bert Gentry and family of Matthews, and many friends.

Phone 10, Malone's Pharmacy, for delivery.

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Night Football Lights Pronounced OK During Alumni-Varsity Tilt

Several hundred Sikeston football fans witnessed a scrimmage between the Varsity and Alumni Friday night and incidentally pronounced the recently installed equipment 100 per cent efficient.

Lights are so arranged to permit turning on one-half of the bulbs on each side of the field at a time. The test Friday demonstrated without question that the field is one of the best lighted anywhere in Southeast Missouri, such at least was the pronouncement of a dozen or more local sports followers.

The Alumni finally pushed over a touchdown during the scrimmage, but the local high gridders, despite their light weight and inexperience, showed remarkable ability, especially in the line. Coach Mahew has developed a fast charging outfit which should prove effective against teams of equal size and weight.

The Sikeston grid season will open Friday night this week against Matthews. The novelty of night football is expected to attract a record crowd for the opening game at least. Placards have been placed in every town and community in a radius of twenty miles and every effort is being made to accommodate the expected visitors. Coach Englehart of Matthews visited Sikeston Saturday and stated that his team would consist of light, and fast material. Only two regulars reported for practice on the Matthews squad this year, but quite a bit of new material is being developed.

SHERIFF SCOTT HOLDS TRICK $5.00 BILL

Sheriff Tom Scott is in possession of a fake $5.00 bill passed at the New Hamburg "chicken" party some time ago. The bill was raised from a $1.00 item by clipping the corner from a $5 note and pasting it over the "one" on the bill of smaller denomination. When shoved over the counter during a rush the folded bill was not detected as a fake.

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Lumsden Wins Top Honors in Class A at Charleston Individual Open Tourney

David Lumsden, Sikeston juvenile golf luminary, walked away with first honors in Class A Sunday on the Charleston links during the first Annual Open Championship conducted there. Lumsden's score of 153 strokes was followed by Russell Sisier of Dexter and Bill Malone, another Sikestonian, who were tied with 169 strokes each. Lynn Stallcup of Sikeston got third with 161 strokes for the 36-hole match.

In the first Championship racket, Johnny Willebrand, St. Charles pro, who coached local golfers for several days here about two months ago, finished first with a score of 136 or six under par, defeating H. L. Oatman, Kennett pro who came in a close second with a score of 137, 3 under par. Geo. Kirk of Charleston, placed third, with 138 strokes.

In Class B, Arnold Lee, better known as "Sonny", won first place with 162 strokes, including an eagle on a long par No4. 8 hole. Charles Clowe of Dexter, finished second in this bracket with 165 and . D. Sidwell of Cape Girardeau third with 174 strokes.

Fifty-five players entered the tournament, but only 43 qualified. Oatman and Willebrand tied for lowest score for any nine holes of the tourney, shooting 32 each and received one-half dozen golf balls. The popular Johnny Willebrand, for whom most of a gallary of approximately 50 golfers was pulling, scored the most birdies and received another one-half dozen golf balls. Johnny scored 13 birdies. "Sonny" Lee's eagle was the only one scored in the tournament and netted him two golf balls as a prize.

ENROLLMENT DECREASED

Charleston, September 13.—Enrollment in the Charleston City schools for 1932 shows a decrease of 14 over that f 1931.

The high school enrollment this year was 221, a gain of 12 over last year. Grade school enrollments dropped 26.

Cassville—Unique Shoppe at this place, to expand its business by establishment of new shoppe at Seligman.

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Saturday night's affair should be a warning to girls who sometimes go with boys to road house brew joints, to stay away in the future. Suppose some of them had been down the lane and stripped as were the boys and had to walk to town shoeless and britchesless. Shocking to think about.

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The editor is in receipt of a very fine letter from a very sweet girl, who congratulates us on our 69th birthday and wishes us a long extension of life. She, too, celebrated her 16th birthday last week and we wish her a long and useful life.

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The people of Missouri can now unite with the people of many other States in setting their own houses in order. Maine proved to the people of America, last Tuesday, that this country is through with Mr. Hoover. That rock-ribbed Republican State administered a stinging rebuke to those party leaders who forced the re-nomination of the president because it was a party precedent. "As Maine goes, so goes the nation", has been their own slogan since 1840, so it must be believed that a presidential landslide for Franklin D. Roosevelt is on the way. While many good, substantial voters of his party have long determined to vote against Mr. Hoover, they are just beginning to realize that he and his cabinet members and their appointees have reached out into our State to control it and its officials. The Hyde-Clements machine and the federal office holders controlled the nomination of the Republican candidate for governor, and for the United States Senator in so boss-controlled a primary that the wishes of voters from many sections of the State were trampled under foot. St. Louis swung its big machine into action, and Winter was nominated. This wave of rebellion is more intense against Mr. Hoover and his appointees than against the doctrine of Republicanism, especially in this agricultural section. As in the days of the other Roosevelt, many of the clean Republicans of Missouri are now determined to reprove Mr. Hoover and Mr. Hyde and make a clean sweep of those in power both in this State and in the national for the past twelve years—years in which Missouri taxes and governmental extravagance have risen by leaps and bounds. To combat this trend away from their party, the strategy of Republican State leaders is to try and trade with county and congressional candidates in order to insure the election of their State ticket. The Democratic State platform adopted strikes at the very heart of extravagance in Missouri in its most important planks—that on excessive taxation and reduction of governmental costs, and that one declaring that a public office is a public trust.—La Plata Home-Press.

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LYNEAR CARTER KILLS 24-POUND BOB CAT

Lynear Carter, International Shoe Factory worker, killed a Bob Cat last Sunday morning while hunting squirrels near Bloomfield, and to prove his prowess, exhibited the huge cat at Tht Bijou. Later in the day the "varmint" was removed, but Carter could not be reached for a statement as to what he intended to do with his kill.

Bob Cats were once rather plentiful in this district, according to old-timers, but the species is rapidly dying out. Nevertheless several instances of killing a member of this cat family have been recorded in the district in the past several weeks.

Ex-Sheriff Bill Schade while attending the Hagenbeck-Wallace show in Cape Girardeau Tuesday found that when he reached the inside of the big tent that some miscreant had relieved him of his pocketbook containing slightly less than $4.00. He was forced to sit through the performance without knicknacks for want of change. He could not borrow from those about him for all had either been short-changed or fleeced of their coin with the exception of County Clerk Edwin Kies who was also out of money which he attributed to pickpockets, but thanks to his absent mindedness—he found his pocketbook on his bed when he returned home.—Jackson Cash Book.

MRS. L. R. BURNS WINS LADIES' GOLF TOURNAMENT

Mrs. L. R. Burns won a one-hole playoff on the local golf links Sunday afternoon to take top honors in the ladies' tournament from Mrs. Duree Medley, after a tie score of 110 for the 18 holes. Those participating in the first tourney of this kind here, included Pauline Henry, Mrs. C. C. Scott, Mrs. D. L. Fisher of Morehouse, Mrs. Duree Medley, Mrs. L. R. Burns and Lynette Stallcup.

The girls decided to stage another tournament on the local links this week Wednesday afternoon.

SERVICES HELD SUNDAY FOR E. L. PHELPS, AGED RESIDENT NEAR ORAN

Elonzo Lee Phelps, born in Russellville, Ky., September 19, 1867, died last Thursday at the family residence near Oran.

Mr. Phelps was united in marriage with Mrs. Mary Rottler, to which union five children were born, two of whom preceeded him in death. Surviving are his wife and three children, Mrs. Freda Monan, Frank and Louise Phelps, and two step-children, Mrs. John Davenport and Roland Rottler, six grandchildren, three sisters, Mrs. Sue Lett of Delta, Mrs. Belle Estes of St. Louis, and Mrs. Matilda Ranes of Hanson, Ky.

Funeral services were conducted at the family residence, two miles west of Oran Sunday afternoon, 2 o'clock, with Rev. Howard, pastor of the Oran Baptist church officiating. Interment in Friends Cemetery at Oran. Welsh of Sikeston in charge.

DEATH CLAIMS HASSEL LEE MORGAN, 6 YEARS OLD, OF MOREHOUSE

Hassell Lee Morgan, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morgan of Morehouse, died unexpectedly of diptheria last Friday afternoon having been ill only a few days. The youngster did not seem seriously ill and played with his sisters and brother until the day of his death. Anti-toxin was administered, but failed to check the disease.

Hassell Lee was born in Morehouse February 14, 1926 and died September 16 at the age of six years, seven months and two days. On account of quarantine regulations, funeral services could not be held at the residence or at church and the body was laid away with a short services conducted by Rev. Holt at Memorial Park Cemetery, Sikeston, Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock with Welsh of Sikeston in charge. Surviving are his father and mother, three sisters, two brothers, two grandfathers and one grandmother.

SUTTON BROS. SALE FAIRLY SUCCESSFUL

Sutton Brothers today reported that their remodeling sale which swung underway last Saturday, met with fair response from customers in this district. We enjoyed good trade Saturday afternoon ond night, but it was mostly local trade, Jake Sutton is quoted as saying. Country folks did not seem to be in the market to any great extent.

Sutton Brothers have marked down a large hardware and grocery stock in order to facilitate remodeling operations soon to be carried out. Special sale prices will continue through Saturday this week.

EXTENSION HISTORY COURSE TO BE OFFERED HERE BY DEAN DOUGLAS

Dean Douglas of Southeast Missouri State Teachers College, Cape Girardeau, will conduct a three-hour course in Nineteenth Century History with the first class scheduled to meet at the local high school building at 7:00 o'clock Tuesday night, and continuing for eighteen weeks. Each session will be of two hour's duration for a total credit of three college hours. Anyone qualified to take senior college work is eligible to take the course which carries a fee of $18 plus cost of text books.

Col. A. A. Ebert, well known auctioneer is moving to the Cape, and will locate his office and Auction House at 721 Broadway. Col. Ebert formerly lived at Sikeston, but for the past twelve years has resided in St. Louis. While at Sikeston Ebert was engaged in the livestock business, and general auctioneering. He promoted tht Sikeston Fair, which gained the reputation of being one of the leading fairs of the State. The Colonel purchased the Governor Coleman farm near St. Louis, and later sold it to B. F. Busch, President of the Missouri Pacific railroad. He moved his family to St. Louis, and opened an office in the Arcvade building, specializing in the autcioneering of fine livestock and real estate. The new auction house will hold a general auction sale on Tuesday of each week, and will solicit personal property of all kinds which will be sold in these sales.—Cape News.

MADRID AND GIRARDEAU COUNTIES HAVE ROADS IN LETTING SEPT. 30

Jefferson City, September 16.—A $1,750,000 road letting, including a number of Federal aid highway projects, was announced today by the State Highway Department for September 30. The letting includes 69 projects in 32 counties, of which 146.4 miles is gravel and 141.7 graded earth.

The letting will be under the highway department's emergency program, designed to give employment to 12,000 extra men. The minimum wage contractors may pay is 35 cents an hour for unskilled labor and 50 cents an hour for skilled labor. A maximum week of 30 hours is specified.

Whenever practical, manpower will be used.

Included in the letting are contracts in New Madrid and Cape Girardeau Counties, described as follows:

New Madrid: 4.8 gravel, Route SK, Portageville to Linda; 2.2 miles gravel, Route SM, Portageville to Mount Pleasant.

Cape Girardeau: (E) 6.9 gravel, Gravel Hill to Jackson, and six small bridges; 6.6 gravel earth, Delto to Drum on State Route SN, and three small bridges.

News of The Town

MRS. C. M. HARRIS, Phone 581

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradley spent last Saturday afternoon in Cape Girardeau.

Jack Matthews and Hubert Boyer went to St. Louis Sunday night on a business trip.

Mrs. P. M. Malcolm is reported to be about the same.

A box of Post's Bran Flakes awaits Mrs. George Dye at The Standard office. Just clip this local and call at the office for your Bran Flakes.

M. B. Duncan, who had been visiting with his family in St. Louis, returned to Sikeston Saturday night.

Mrs. Harry Lewis, who is confined to her home suffering from rheumatism, is reported to be some better.

A box of Post's Bran Flakes awaits Mrs. C W Duncan at The Standard office. Just clip this local and call at the office for your Bran Flakes.

Mrs. Lavona Martin returned Sunday after spending the week visiting Mrs. C. N. Stewart at Caruthersville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sharp and Mrs. Jennie Mitchell spent Sunday visiting with friends at Fruitland and Cape Girardeau.

Miss Ann Beck went to Cape Girardeau, Sunday, where on Monday she entered the Southeast Missouri Teachers' College.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eskew and children of Cape Girardeau spent last week-end here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bratton and family.

A box of Post's Bran Flakes awaits Mrs. Wilbur Ensor at The Standard office. Just clip this local and call at the office for your Bran Flakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young and children, Mrs. H. E. Reuber and Miss Wootson Hollingsworth spent last week-end at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.

A box of Post's Bran Flakes awaits Mrs. John Fox at The Standard office. Just clip this local and call at the office for your Bran Flakes.

Misses Marilyn Bess, Mildred Williams and Helen Wolters of Poplar Bluff spent last week-end at the Wayne Bess home in this city.

Mrs. Nancy Key and Miss Bert Paschal of Springville, Tenn., came last Friday for a visit with Sikeston friends. Mrs. Key is a former resident of Sikeston.

Malone's Pharmacy for quality drugs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trousdale and Mrs. Nellie Atkinson spent Sunday in St. Louis, visiting with the former's daughter, Miss Flavia who is a patient at the Shriners' Hospital. They also visited with Mr. Carroll's sister, Mrs. H. S. Hulen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ches Davis Stone of East St. Louis, Ill., Mrs. Clara Elder and daughter, Dorothy Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Duke Heater of Tamms, Ill., spent Sunday in Sikton with Mrs. Elder's half brother, John Simler and wife. Mr. Stone is an uncle of J. W. Stone, also of this city.

Mrs. V. D. Hunter and son, Robert, of Louisville, Ky., visited her brother, A. B. Skillman, Thursday night and Friday. The visitors left Friday afternoon for St. Louis accompanied by Vernon "Jimmy" Skillman, who spent a few days wiht his father. Jimmy is employed in Louisville.

The following were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Duncan Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Rex Day and daughter and Mrs. Day of Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duncan and son of Cape Girardeau, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Duncan and son of Poplar Bluff and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Duncan and daughters of this city.

Miss Letha McDowell of Oran is visiting Miss Margaree Walton.

Mrs. Paul Slinkard and Miss Freda Reese were Dexter visitors Monday morning.

Sam Frizzel of Chaffee and Tom Scott of Benton were in Sikeston Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Groves of Marquand were guests of Mrs. W. H. Stubblefield, Sunday.

Misses Grace and Ella Lee Evans spent the week-end with relatives in Poplar Bluff.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ancel Saturday forenoon to bring joy into the household. All three are doing nicely.

The following boys were present to enjoy the surprise birthday dinner given in honor of Lewis Conley at his home Sunday: John McMullin, Glenn Joyner, Melfred Taylor, John Bailey, Pat and Lawrence Adams, Martin Howze, Bob Jackson and Marshall Wilson.

A goodly number of the W. B. A. Friendship Circle members spent last Friday with Mrs. G. F. Pierce and daughters. The ladies pieced on their quilt, with lunch served at the noon hour. The next meeting of the Circle will be held Friday afternoon, September 30 at the home of Mrs. John Simlar on Harris avenue.

Miss Maud Adams, Billie and Albert Keith Bess and Clyde Martin spent Sunday afternoon in Charleston with Miss Adams' uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kenrick.

Miss Mabel Caughlin, who is teaching at Kennett, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caughlin, at Morley, and also at the Wayne Bess home in this city.

Mrs. C. C. Cummins, Miss Freda Reese and Mrs. Olive Clifford and daughter, Miss Nellie, of McMullin were in Cape Girardeau last Friday afternoon to attend the Missouri Utilities Cooking Demonstration.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. C. will be held Thursday aftrenoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Mount on Gladys Street, with Mrs. E. J. Malone, Sr., and Mrs. Lizzie Ferrell, assistant hostesses. Rev. J. F. E. Bates, pastor of the local Methodist church, will be present and will give a short address on "Citizenship" A full attendance of the membership and also friends are invited to be present at this meeting. Election of officers.

The following O. E. S. members went to Illmo last Thursday for a surprise get-together meeting with Mrs. Tommie Sue Waller, district deputy grand matron: Mesdames Robert Mow, Frank Dye, Harry E. Dudley, F. E. Mount, Joe Mathis, O. E. Kendall R. E. Bailey, Gust Zacher, Earl Malone, Jr., E G. Buchanan, Earl Johnson, John Powell, Barney Forrester, John Fox, A. E. Shankle, Ben Ritter and son, W. E. Hollingsworth, Birch Moll, Effie Hunter and B. L. McMullin. Another surprise was when Mrs. Emma Kendall of Denver, Colo., who is visiting relatives at Commerce, came to be present at the meeting. A very pleasant time was had by all present. Mrs. Waller expects to be present at the regular chapter meeting here on Thursday evening. This will be her official visit.

Mrs. Raymond Hall of Dexter spent last Saturday night and Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Swaim. From Sikeston, Mrs. Hall went to Campbell to visit with Mr. Hall's parents, who live there.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church will hold an all-day quilting Thursday at the church. Each lady is asked to bring a covered dish and lunch will be served at noon.

Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Garrison left Monday for Tulsa, Okla., where they will visit Mrs. Garrison's mother, Mrs. Ida Briggs. Rev. Garrison expects to return to Sikeston Thursday, while Mrs. Garrison will remain for a longer visit in hopes of regaining her health. She has been confined to her home here for the past few weeks on account of illness and it is thought a change would benefit her health. Sunday morning several Sunday school classes of the church gave Mrs. Garrison going-away gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Craig and children of Malden were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moody, Sunday. Mrs. Roy Anderson and children accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hayden and son, Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs C. B. Kinsolving and daughter, Joyce, and C. B. Kinsolving, Sr., spent last Saturday at Grand Rivers Ky., visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Bell Sams, who has been confined to her home the past two weeks on account of serious illness, is reported to be about the same. Mrs. Nora Shannon is nursing Mrs. Sams.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese left last Friday for Detroit, Mich., where they will visit Mrs. Reese's sister, Mrs. Ed Blackburn, for two weeks.

E E Smith and family of Yarbro, Ark., spent Sunday in Sikeston with the former's brother, Frank Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slinkard were in Burfordsville and Cape Girardeau, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lankford, Mr. Fields and Miss Freda Reese were in Cape Girardeau Sunday afternoon.

Butler—Improvements underway at City Hall.

Pattonsburg—Clyde Cooper opened butcher shop in room vacated by Bartlett Grocery.

Novinger—Joe Giachino purchased Arctic Mine, southeast of here.

SEA CAPTAIN TALKS TO SCHOOL CHILDREN



CAPT. LEW NICHOLS, retired from active service aboard whaling ships, who entertained Sikeston school children Monday morning with a dramatic account of whaling trips and life on the ocean.

SOUTHEAST MO. HORSE SHOW TO BE HELD OCT. 6

Cape Girardeau, September 16.—The Southeast Missouri Horse Show here will be conducted October 6, and 32 horses already have been entered in the saddle and harness show classes.

Dr. O. L. Seabaugh, chairman, said today 3000 tickets have already been sold, and special seating arrangements are being made at Fairground Park. A saddle mare will be given away during the program. Horses will be exhibited from as far away as St. Louis County and Southern Illinois.

ENROLLMENT LESS

Kennett, September 13.—Enrollment in the Kennett city schools is less than that of last year. The total enrollment for 1932 now stands at 829 compared with 895 for 1931.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT—Modern apartments. Furnished or unfurnished. Steam heat, hot and cold water furnished. Reasonable.—T. A. Slack. tf-102.

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FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms.—Mrs. H. C. Wells, 120 Center Street. tf-101

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED

To prevent her son, David, from marrying Kitty Lane, a waitress, Mrs. Livingston pretends that she must visit a specialist abroad. Her heart is so bad that it becomes necessary for David to accompany her. David wants to marry Kitty at once, but the girl suggests that they wait.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Kitty and Dave sat talking, dreaming, planning. She had her arm about him as she said, slowly: "My father's dead, Davey. He died a year ago. I don't even remember my mother. I never had any brothers or sisters. You're all of them now. You're all I've got that means anything. I belong to you—I always will."

He suddenly embraced her with a passionate, ardent fierceness. "I want you, Kitty. I'm not going away without you. I can't—I can't."

The next morning David visited Kitty early to tell her that they would be married that day. While they were talking a knock sounded against the door. Kitty opened it to discover Mrs. Livingston and Judge Forbes on the threshold.

"Oh!" Kitty was surprised, but she quickly recovered her composure. "Are you looking for Dave? He's here."

Mrs. Livingston hardly glanced at Kitty. Her eyes quickly swept the room. Tight lipped, she walked over to her son. "Get out of this place at once, David!"

"Calm down, mother. No scenes, please."

"Your train leaves at three o'clock," Judge Forbes volunteered. Forbes for help. "Why—there's no hurry now, David."

"Certainly there is," Forbes urged easily with a significant look at Mrs. Livingston. "There are so many things to attend to yet." He smiled at David. "And this is most important, isn't it, son?"

"You bet!" David exclaimed cheerfully. He kissed the girl. "I won't be long, Kitty. Wait for me." He grabbed his hat and started out, pausing long enough to say to Forbes. "Thanks. I don't know what would have happened if it weren't for you. I'll be back in about an hour." With that he was gone.

"I'd better be going, too." Judge Forbes turned to Mrs. Livingston. "I still have several things to arrange for you before you leave. Goodbye, Miss Lane."

Kitty went over to Mrs. Livingston. "Don't worry. You're never gonna be sorry. Not if I have anything to do with it. I'll do everything to make Dave happy. And you too, if you'll let me."

"You must forgive me for being a foolish mother. David's the only one I have left in the world, and I'm greedy about him." She took Kitty's face between her hands and kissed the girl. The latter threw her arms about the woman fervently, making Mrs. Livingston most uncomfortable.

"I must run along. The luggage must get off." Mrs. Livingston smiled. "Dave never could look after bags."

Kitty busied herself packing her things. Time slipped quickly by. There was a knock on the door. She ran to open it, expecting to see



"The complaint is violation of the Public Morals Act," said Forbes.
(Posed by Oscar Apfel and Barbara Stanwyck)

"Til be there." The lad was quiet but determined. "Kitty is coming with me. We're going to be married.

Mrs. Livingston saw red. "Married!"

"Otherwise, I'm not going abroad. You might as well get used to the idea——"

"You don't think I'm going to let you marry this cheap—common——" Kitty broke in on the woman. "I'm not cheap! I'm not common!"

"Calling names isn't going to do any good, mother."

Mrs. Livingston turned on the lad. "You mean to tell me that you are going to stand there and defend this girl after—" She made a sweeping gesture aroud the room.

Kitty broke in quietly. "I'm not ashamed—I love him."

Mrs. Livingston commenced to shout. "Of course you're not ashamed! Why should you be? This is nothing new to you. You probably weren't ashamed all the other——"

David became menacing. "I can't allow you to say that!" His voice had an electrifying effect upon his mother. She stared at him, frightened. For a time there was absolute silence, then David continued. "There is no use talking about it any more. I've made up my mind. Kit and I are going to be married."

Judge Forbes moved over to Mrs. Livingston. "Just a moment, Helen." A flash of understanding passed between them as he continued. "Here are two young people in love with each other. Nothing you can say or do will alter that." He became sympathetic. "I know exactly how you feel. The whole thing is a shock to you. That's why you're saying things you don't mean." He squeezed Mrs. Livingston's arm. "Perhaps if you and Miss Lane get to know each other better—you'll probably learn to love her as much as David does. After all, you've got to be fair about this, Helen."

Mrs. Livingston hung her head guiltily, playing straight for Forbes. She had no idea what was in his mind, but had implicit faith in him. "I may have lost my head."

Dave and Kitty watched the scene anxiously. Mrs. Livingston went over to the girl, holding out her hand. "Forgive me, dear. I know I said some terrible things. I'm sorry. Please try to understand. It's only because I worry so much over David."

"Sure—I understand," Kitty replied with a forgiving spirit. It was David's mother.

The lad was happy. "Gee, mother, you're a peach!" He threw his arms about her and hugged the woman affectionately. "See, Kitty, I told you she was swell."

Judge Forbes thought it time to break up the scene. "Better get started if you are all going to make the train."

"I've got something to do first." Dave was beaming. "I'm going downtown and get a marriage license."

Once more Mrs. Livingston became panic-stricken. She looked to David. Instead she was greeted by Forbes and a detective.

"This is the young woman," said Forbes.

"Kitty Lane?" The detective inquired.

"Yes." She apprehended tragedy.

The detective handed her a paper. "You'll have to come along with me."

"He's joking, ain't he, Mr. Forbes?"

The Judge shook his head. "The complaint is violation of the Public Morals Act."

She stared at the paper, and then at Forbes. "Violation? How do you know?"

"I swore out the complaint."

Kitty looked at him in bitter indignation. Words failed her. Forbes turned his eyes away guiltily. He cleared his throat uneasily and said to the detective. "Collins, I'd like a few minutes with this young lady."

"All right, Judge."

"Where's Dave?" Kitty asked as they entered the room.

"David's at home."

She looked at him fearfully. "You mean something bad—what is it?"

"I've convinced David that temporary unhappiness is better than permanent tragedy."

"You mean you've talked him out of marrying me?"

"Exactly."

"Why do you want to do this to us? We love each other."

"I'm sure you do—now——"

"We want to get married. If Davey knew this, he'd be here to help me."

"He can't help you. Nobody can, but yourself." She silently sank to the couch. "Now, my dear young lady, it isn't necessary for you to do any acting. I know what it's all about. I've handled cases like this before."

"I want to see Davey."

"That's out of the question. He's leaving for New York with his mother. They're sailing for Europe immediately. However, I'm authorized to act for them." He reached into his pocket and drew out his wallet. "I've been to the bank. I thought you'd prefer cash." He withdrew a piece of paper and a handful of bank notes. "Five thousand dollars. Merely for leaving town at once." He extended the money. She took it, looked at it for a moment with a bitter smile on her face. Then she flung it into Forbes' face. The notes scattered all about the room.

"What are you trying to make of me? What you wish I was—something cheap; something common; something you can buy with money! Well, you can't. Nobody can. You—and the people who sent you—the nice, decent people are the real cheap ones—trying to put a price on something there can't be a price for. If that's decent, I'm glad I'm common." She ran to the door and threw it open. The detective was outside. Kitty screamed at him. "Come on in, copper, and earn your pay!"

TO BE CONTINUED

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking all of our friends and neighbors who so kindly offered their assistance in the illness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Pearl Gentry, for the beautiful floral offerings and Rev. J. F. E. Bates for his consoling words, and his choir for their services.

Glenn Gentry and Children.

Palmyra—K. S. Bailey commenced work on new filling station on N. Main St., on block west of

7:30 P. M. FRIDAY ▶ See the Big Flood Lights ◀

40,000 Watts, Municipal Light

SEPTEMBER 23 OPENING FOOTBALL GAME

SIKESTON vs. MATTHEWS



FOR RENT—5-room house centrally located.—C. F. McMullin Estate. See J. S. Kevil. tf-102.

JOINT OPERATOR WARNS SHERIFF THAT RAID IS IN PROGRESS; ARRESTED

"Hey, you fellows, better put that stuff away. They're pullin' a raid outside", warned Eugene Biler Saturday night, but one of the customers being wised up happened to be Sheriff Tom Scott. Officers Walter Kendall, Gid Daniels, Murray Powell and Toots Nall in the meantime picked up 65 to 70 bottles of alleged beer, while Scott confiscated four bottles of the same stuff.

Thurman Holt and John and Eugene Biler were charged with sale and possession of intoxicating liquor.

Orville Craig and a man named Killin were arrested about one-fourth mile north and west of Biler Park Saturday night. Both pleaded guilty to charges of possession and were fined $25 each and costs. They were committed to jail for non-payment of fine. Craig operated a place on the old Rube Greer farm, where approximately 60 bottles of home brew were found by the officers.

At Green Lake, located at the east front door of Sikeston on Highway 60, Scott and his sponge crew located about one quart of liquor in a gallon jug. Alton Cox was arrested on charges of possession.

CHICKEN HOUSE ENDS CAR THEFT ATTEMPT: ROBBER FLIES COOP

An attempted car theft ended abruptly for two negro men Saturday night shortly after they dashed out of the Air-Mist Auto Laundry driveway with Lacy Nelson's Ford. The rush for the wide open spaces ended at the intersection of North Stoddard and Center Streets, when the would-be thieves failed to make the turn, crashed through the back wall of a garage and into a chicken house on the J. H. Vowel property.

Mrs. Vowel and her mother were sitting on the front porch at the time, and believed for a minute that the speeding automobile would crash into them. Instead of that, however, the driver turned sharply, cut across the yard of Dr. J. H. Kready, through the open garage door, and into the chicken house. Then the negro men fled hurriedly.

Nelson had driven into the Air-Mist Garage for a light bulb. He remained inside of the office for a minute only to see his machine dashing madly down the street. Clay Mitchell witnessed the theft and states that the car was backed out of the drive into a parked car and then hurled down the street.

Mr. and Mrs. Vowel are holding the Ford until someone pays $10 damage to garage and chicken house.

GEN MORGAN HOME IN CHAFFEE VISITED BY SOFT SHOE ARTISTS

The Gen Morgan home in Chaffee was one of four or five entered and robbed Sunday night by a second story man, according to a report received through special agents of the Frisco railroad. Morgan is a dispatcher with the railroad stationed in Chaffee. His loss included $16.00 cash, and an Elgin '16" 21-jewell watch described as having the name "Father Time" inscribed on the works, and a chip out of the face between the numerals 5 and 7. Miss Juanita Morgan was awakened by beams of a flashlight and gave the alarm. The prowler escaped.

HYDE SAYS U. S. WON'T PRESS FARMERS TO REPAY LOANS

Fort Wayne, Ind., September 16.—Arthur M. Hyde, Secretary of Agriculture, said here today the department will not press the collection of Federal seed and feed loans until Congress has an opportunity to consider requests for deferred payments.

Secretary Hyde, here for a Lincoln celebration, confirmed the report that he had been authorized by President Hoover to say the Department of Agriculture wishes to handle the situation with the "utmost consideration for borrowers who are in difficulty".

Secretary Hyde made it clear that the debts will stand, but that the department will exercise leniency and will not take away property by foreclosure. He said nothing will be done until Congress acts on an amortization plan.

Complaints come from numerous points in the Ozarks that native fishermen are using an old Indian scheme to catch fish. The "trick" is a violation of the State laws, fish and game wardens declare. The fisherman pound up green walnuts in a large towsack and then thrust them to the bottom of the water, burying them in the mud. The result is that the fish are affected much in the same manner as tear gas affects a human being. They become groggy and are easy to catch by hand or by gigging.—West Plains Gazettt.

Several pupils in the "B" class at the Wild Onion school Monday were stung by wasps which Little Fidity Flinders found in a nest under the teachers' desk.—Commercial Appeal.

Miss Hostetter Hocks, our poet, while baking a pie Saturday morning, thought up and wrote a poem about Katydids. Raz Barlow says he heard the pie turned out good.—Commercial Appeal.

Poke Eazley says he was told there is a colony way off yonder where the people don't wear any clothes. He reckons that is just the place for his wife, who is always complaining of not having a stitch fit to wear.—Commercial Appeal.

Owensville—Union Pipe Co. opened their factory recently.

During a discussion with the blacksmith this morning Ellick Helwanger got excited, forgot all about his lumbago, and pulled up the anvil by the roots.—Commercial Appeal.

Neosho—Ayers Studio moved to building owned by Floyd M. Jackson on E. Main Street.

Genius is the capacity, not for taking pains, but for feeling young.

COACH EXPECTS LIGHT FAST GRID MACHINE AT MATTHEWS H. S.

Coach George Englehart of Matthews reports that only two lettermen of last season are with him this year around which he must build his 1932 football machine which opens the season with Sikeston on the local lighted field on the evening of September 23. Revelle and Wilmuth are tho two seasoned players on the squad. According to Mr. Englehart, quite a bit of new material has shown up, but most of it is light or inexperienced. Regular practice exercises are being held daily, but due to tht fact that many players are carried to and from school in busses practice is limited to only 30 minutes a day, from 3 o'clock to 3:45, allowing approximately half an hour for actual practice.

The season schedule as announced by Coach Englehart is subject to two probable changes as noted:

Matthews vs. Sikeston, away, September 23.

Matthews vs. New Madrid, away, September 30.

Matthews vs. Morehouse, away, probable date, October 7.

Matthews vs. Portageville, away, October 14.

Matthews vs. Chaffee at home, October 19.

Matthews vs. Doniphah, at home, probable date Nov. 11.

Turkey day game, at home, Matthews vs. Morehouse.

WADE TUCKER FILES FOR SHERIFF AS INDEPENDENT

Wade Tucker, of Morehouse, who was a candidate for Sheriff of New Madrid County on the Democratic ticket at the recent Primary Election and who was defeated by Sam Harris the Democratic nominee, by 207 votes, on Wednesday filed a petition with his name placed on an Independent County Clerk R. L. Jones, to have ticket as a candidate for Sheriff at the General Election. The petition filed contains 382 signers and the party emblem is designated to be a "Red Bird".

The County Clerk, as required by law has served notice to both the Democratic and Republican nominees for Sheriff and the chairmen of those political parties. The legality of the petition will be checked carefully before the request of the petition will be granted—New Madrid Record.

A high pressure education means a low pressure of knowledge.

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New Madrid County School Notes

By Milus R. Davis

Supt. L. B. Hoy, Gideon, reports that they will have a cotton vacation of about five weeks, beginning Monday, September 19.

Supt. Owen J. Taul, Canalou, was appointed last week on the Commission by the State Board of New Madrid County Textbook Education.

The County High School Association met at New Madrid last Saturday and elected Supt. L. G. Wilson, Portageville, President; Prin. W. O. Statler, Matthews, Vice-President and Supt. Ralph McCullough, New Madrid, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Tennis Tournament is to be held at Lilbourn this year on the first and second Saturdays in October. Entries are to be sent to Supt. J. H. O'Connor, Lilbourn, not later than Sentember 24.

The Volley Ball Tournament for both boys and girls will be held at Parma, November 12. Entries are to be sent to Supt. J. Wesley Miller, Parma.

The State aid has already been apportioned and the first payment will be made within a few days. This payment will amount to about 34½% of the total apportionment and it is estimated that about 15% more will be paid next March which is the time for the second payment. Both payments will amount to only about 50% of the amount that our schools would receive if the funds were sufficient to pay in full.

The first payment to the high school districts will be as follows:

Matthews, $4,184.83; Canalou, $2,943.21; Conran, $1,599.76; Kewanee, $1,933.47; Parma, $4,091.94; Risco, $5,062.47; Portageville, $5,1162.24; New Madrid, $4,411.21; Marston, $1,996.09; Lilburn, $6,992.84; Morehouse, $3,938.51; Gideon, $7,381.26.

The first payment to the rural schools will be the following amounts:

LaForge, $729.01; Pt. Pleasant, $588.64; Linda, $338.19; Fairview, $369.15; O'Bannon, $329.93; Scott, $459.97; LaFont, $191.28; Boekerton, $664.67; Barnes' Ridge, $92.55; Walnut Grove, $374.65; Higgerson, $126.26; Cade, $154.13; York, $344.03; Sugar Tree, $188.19; Dawson, $188.97; Pleasant Valley, $193.69; Bowman, $92.89; Wilburn, $50.57; St. Mary, $330.96; Union $121.10; Phillips, $485.78; Kendall, Groce, $171.67; Tinsley, $148.62; Oak Island, $179.59; Broadwater, $3,666.00; Hough, $161.01.

The State Superintendent states in a letter of September 1 that all the money except transportation reimbursement received from the State school fund apportionment should be deposited to the credit of the teachers' fund. He claims that the incidental fund should be regulated by the local tax rate. He means by this that the local tax rate should be divided so that the taxes paid into the incidental fund will be about one-fourth of the total amount spent for school purposes, which is in accordance with the national average, that is, 25% of money for school purposes should be used for incidentals and 75½ for teachers.

We did not know about this ruling last spring when we were making our tax estimates and made the levy as usual expecting to divide the special aid when it came in. This will make our incidental fund short in some instances if all of this State money is put into the teachers' fund.

The free textbook money will be apportiontd next month and will amount to $1.30 per child enumerated, which is about the same as was received last year. This money comes from the Foreign Insurance Fund.

FARMERS "WEEK" CUT TO 3 DAYS THIS YEAR

Missouri Farmers' Week has been shortened to three days and nights—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 18-19-20.

Farmers' Week will, as usual, be held at Columbia, under joint auspices of the University College of Agriculture and State Board of Agriculture. Eleven Short Courses will be conducted daily by the College, and thirteen statewide organizations will meet.

Dr. Richard L. Sutton, explorer and big game hunter, on Tuesday night will give his new illustrated lecture on "Snap Shots from the Arctic", thrilling narrative of the recent trip of the Sutton family to the Arctic regions and Russia.

Special features are being booked for Wednesday night. Thursday night, S. F. Westbrook of Connecticut, practical philosopher and financier, (official spokesman for all of the fire, life and farm loan companies of the United States), will speak on "The Farm Home", at first hand announcing to farm leaders the current rural real estate loan and investment policies.

Low round-trip tickets will be available from all Missouri railroad stations and Pickwick bus lines. A Farmers' Week program booklet will be sent, upon request.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jessie Hamby to Ruby Hamby, lot 4 block 5, Sikes 34 addition to Sikeston.

William Oliver to A. E. Allgier, lot 14 block 39, Chaffee.

Farm & Home Savings & Loan Association to Ruskin and Laura McCoy, lots 11 and 12 part 13 blk. 44, McCoy & Tanner's 8th addition to Sikeston.

Edgar M. Wiman to N. E. Fuchs, lots 10 and 11 block 3 and lots 3 and 4 block 3; lots 16-19, Frisco addition to Sikeston.

Chaffee Building & Loan Association to Virginia F. Heyman, lot 12 block 42, Chaffee.

C. H. Yanson to G. W. Presnell, part lot 6 block 32 McCoy & Tanner's 6th addition to Sikeston.

Peter Bullinger to Unino Central Life Insurance Co., land 5-28-12.

Charles G. Hinze to W. H. Harris, lots 11, 17 and 18 block 1 E. L. Miller's addition to Oran.

J. P. Lightner, et al, to Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., 61.866a 3-29-14.

Homer B. and Alena A. Dyer to Bertha Bain, lots 1-5 and part 6 block 3 Well's addition to Fornfelt; lots 12-15 and part 16 block 3 Well's addition to Fornfelt.

Goldie and Eugene J. Meyers to Ada Stokes, 6.12a 25-26-13.

Raymond Jeffries, et al to Jessie Dillon, lots 2 and 3 block 9, Crowder.

John Laud Minner and Minnie E. Black to Robert Q. Black, 320a 29-28-12.

J. E. and Cora Boyette to Chas. D. and Lora Cooper, lots 7-12, blk. 7 Crowder.

Roscoe and Hazel Wittecke to W. M. Mills, lot 11 block 1 Sunset addition to Sikeston.

John M. and Mollie Sanders to J. T. Albert, land 23-29-14.

Lula Bills to E. B. and Velma Clark, part lot 7 Commerce.—Benton Democrat.

Vandalia—Local Presbyterian church to alter and redecorate their church building.

MERCHANTS SWAMPED WITH CUSTOMERS IN COTTON TOWNS

Special to The Standard

Kennett, September 16.—Merchants in Kennett and other nearby towns are arranging to have additional salespeople Saturday, anticipating record business due to the marketing of cotton. Last Saturday was the busiest day since 1929, business men report.

People are buying extreme necessities with the cotton receipts, and are taking advantage of lower prices on manufactured items. Cotton pick sacks were sold out a week ago and new orders placed. The picking started a week earlier than was expected.

At Cardwell, near here, last Saturday, the town was jammed with shoppers and one of the largest stores had to close its doors and allow 50 persons to come in at a time, so great was the jam.

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Beaver hat. Checkered vest. A guitar to do his advertising. But make no mistake—there was a salesman. You never found him out at the edge of town, wasting his breath on the wide open spaces of Scatterville. Not on your life! He was always on the public square and just as close up to the courthouse as he could get—town marshal and tin badge notwithstanding. His market was the crowd. He made his profit off people. And to him must go credit for that immortal saying, "You can't sell 'em where they ain't!"

Times have changed. The roar of industry has drowned out the strumming of the guitar in the hands of O. Henry's medicine man. Neon signs have replaced kerosene lamps. Pink snake oil, in bottles, has given way to merchandise of known merit. But the impulse of the human heart, the habits of the crowd and the basic principles of doing business at a profit remain the same—you still "can't sell 'em where they ain't!"

For that reason, merchants who insist on making money do not cross the waste-line—do not spend good, round dollars for advertising in newspapers bound for Scaterville. They know that profitable results bear a close relationship to the concentration of a newspaper's circulation in the close-in area of concentrated population.

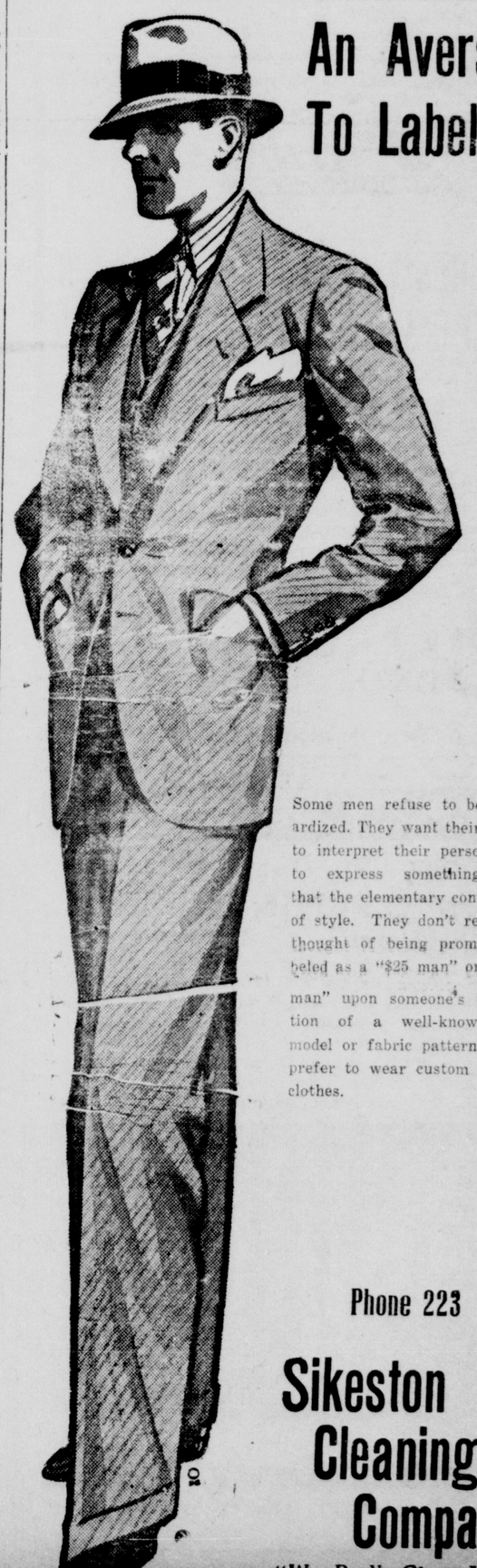
The Sikeston Standard offers advertisers the highest percentage of concentrated local circulation of any newspaper.

Your advertising appropriation, invested in The Sikeston Standard, stays on this side of the waste-line, 95 per cent goes where more than 20,000 people with annual spendable incomes aggregating better than ten and a half million dollars, live close to your place of business. With such a vast, compact and potentially profitable market at your finger tips, why waste money trying to sell people where they "ain't"?

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Phone 223

Sikeston Cleaning Company

"We Really Clean What

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MOREHOUSE

(By Dories James)

(Items for last week)

R. D. Clayton of St. Louis was a business visitor here Friday.

Bill Woods of Sikeston transacted business in our city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baker had business in Gray Ridge, Monday.

Charles Corliss of Pharris Ridge was a business visitor here, Tuesday.

A. W. Colyer and son, Charles were business visitors in Dexter, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Valz and children visited relatives in Canalou, Sunday.

Constable Brown Jewell of Sikeston was a business visitor here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Tilby McFadden and son, J. L., of Sikeston visited her mother, Mrs. M. J. Gully, here, Sunday.

Perry Allen and Ted and Roscoe Davis of Gray Ridge were Sunday visitors here.

Mrs. Chalin Markus of Perkins is visiting her mother, Mrs. Fred Harp, here this week.

Miss Mariam Cowgur of Bloomfield was the guest of Miss Doris James Wednesday night.

Mrs. Anna Kinder has returned home after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Colyer and son, A. W., Jr., visited Mrs. Colyer's mother in Dexter, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rhines and Mr. and Mrs Glenn Rhines and infant son visited relatives in Essex, Sunday.

Ruben Valz and sister, Miss Ruby, and Miss Doris James were guests of Mr. and Mrs. McMann in Canalou Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fisher and son, Bobbie, Mrs. Galbraith Leming and Mrs. George Boone were week-end visitors in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. James and children, Harold, Mildred and Claude of Galatia, Ill., spent the past week visiting his brother, Wm. James and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. James and daughter, Miss Doris, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. James and children, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Cowgur, of Bloomfield.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

(By Miss Louise Peal)

(Items for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Putnam and family visited in Charleston, Sunday.

Mrs. George Pearman and family shopped in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Graham and daughter motored to Charleston, Sunday.

Oscar Graham and Miss Ruth Miller of Cape Girardeau visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conyers of East Prairie visited Mr. and Mrs. King and family, Sunday.

Grace Lawson, who has been very sick with pneumonia, is reported slightly better.

Miss Thelma McDaniel has enrolled at the State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau.

Mesdames Glenn Clippard, Blackwell and Moss and Earl Blackwell shopped in Sikeston Monday.

R. H. Mackley, Miss Thelma Levan and Mrs. Bess Myers were in Cape Girardeau, Thursday.

Miss Ellen Mooney of St. Louis, who has been visiting Mrs. Ben F. Marshall, returned home Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McDaniel and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moyers in Morley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Brasher and son visited the families of Jesse and Jim Brasher in Morley, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Teague and sons of Fornfelt were the dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McDaniel and family last Monday.

The Blodgett Epworth League was well represented at the district meeting at Chaffee Tuesday evening. Those attending were: Misses Ruby and Thelma Munell, Janet Graham, Carolyn Stebbins, Thelma and Jeanette McDaniel, Burmita King, Jane Sadler and Louise Peale, and Roy Wyatt, Herman Wagoner, Austin McDaniel, E. P. Putnam, John Paul Stewart, Gene and John Fred Nunnelee and Ward Enterline.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CANALOU

(By Miss Ethel Wright

(Items for last week)

Mrs. Pearl C. Werner shopped in Sikeston, Saturday.

Hugh May of Morlev was here a short time Monday afternoon on business.

Mrs. James D Kochel and Miss Appalone Taul shopped in Sikeston Saturday afternoon.

Miss Eliza Ellen Browning, who is teaching at Laval, spent the week-end at her home here.

C. W. Harris, who is section foreman for the Frisco at Lilbourn, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Jim Poe, who has been ill for the past several years, is reported to be very much improved at this writing.

Mrs. Geraldine Young, who is teaching in the high school here spent the week-end at her home in Cape Girardeau.

Rev. Margraves is in the second week of the revival at the M. E. Church at this place. Interest seems to be growing.

Supt. Owen J. Taul and Amel D. Taul attended the athletic meeting held at the New Madrid high school building Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Yeakey and children of near Tanner spent Sunday with Mrs. Yeakey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Summers.

Evangelist B. F. Huddleston of Carrlington, Mo., is to begin a series of meetings at the Church of Christ here Thursday evening, September 22.

Mrs. Ernest Taul and little daughter, Betty Joyce, visited the former's aunt, Mrs. Lester Poe and family near Matthews, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Glena Wilson and little 5-year-old daughter received several cuts and bruises as a result of a car accident that occurred in St. Louis Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Wilson is a sister to Mrs. Ernest Taul of this place.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

(By Ann Latimer)

(Items for last week)

Frank Sutherland has returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashby were business visitors in Jackson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Myers have returned from a visit in Chicago

Davis Guthrie has gone to St Louis, where he has accepted a position.

Miss Herman Schuh of St. Louis is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Frank Russell.

Miss Lillian Roberts has gone to Webster Groves, where she will teach this winter.

Marion Rowe and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Love and son left Sunday for a visit in Fulton, Mo.

Mrs. John Joe Russell and son, Jr., of Helena, Ark., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis.

Homer Caulk of Fort Sill, Oklahoma has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fox, this week.

Mrs. J. A. Strain of Sacramento, Calif., is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Trickey.

Miss Belle Wigdor of this city and sister, Mrs. Joe Kohn of Hayti are spending this week in St Louis.

Miss Marietta Fowlkes has returned to Madison, Ill., where she will teach this winter in the city schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stotts and daughter, Mary Reid, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holloway spent Sunday with relatives in Centralia, Ill.

Miss Helen Chapman has returned from a visit in Helena, Ark She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Willis Chapman, who were her guests for the week-end.

Misses Evelyn Lee and Ruth Williams and Charles Leonard Kirk went to Cape Girardeau last Tuesday to re-enter Teachers' Training College for the Fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tinnell, Miss Berniece Tinnell and Mrs. Paul Halter and son of Memphis, Tenn., were called her Sunday by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Dave Tinnell, who is a patient in St. Mary's Infirmary in Cairo.

The Southeast Missouri Checker Association held a tournament in this city Thursday. O. M. Headlee of Morehouse and E. C. Masdon of Cruthersville, secretary-treasurer of the Association, tied for first honor, H. Steele of Matthews won second and Dr. Charles Reid of this city, president of the Association, won third place. Ten players took part in the game.

At the meeting of the local W. C. T. U. held this week, the following new officers were chosen to serve the ensuing year: President, Mrs. John Bird; Vice-Presidents, Mesdames J. S. Compere, P. A. Kasey, S. W. Driggers, John Fleurderlys, Charles Trickey and W. T. Marshall; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Fon Scofield; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Frank Hequembourg; Treasurer, Mrs. A. H. Marshall.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

(By Mrs. C. A. Stallings)

(Items for last week)

Oran defeated Morley in a ball game here Sunday.

Cotton picking weather has been ideal and the short crop will be soon harvested.

Mrs. L. S. Gipson spent Monday at Sikeston with her daughter, Mrs. Ben Morrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd DeLisle and son of Portageville visited Mrs. Arma Blackney a short while Sunday.

Misses Ruth Bateman and Ocie Kilgore of Sikeston visited at the U. G. Ragains home Sunday afternoon.

Fred Moseley and Miss Margaret Beardslee of Salem visited a short while Sunday with Mrs. Rex Boyce.

Miss Lucille McDonough of the grade school faculty at Risco is home for a few weeks cotton vacation.

Mrs. Rex Boyce and Miss Leona Emerson visited Mrs. Charles Bess at Charleston Wednesday afternoon.

G. D. Harris left Monday for Whitewater, where he will conduct the singing in a revival the next two weeks.

Dorris Ragains and Willard Sullivan, who are attending school at Cape Girardeau were Morley visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Harris Foster and children, Miss Marie Esmon and Harold Perdue were Oran business visitors Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and sons of Matthews were 12:00 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Foster, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McDaniel and family of Blodgett and Aunt Mollie Congleton were 12 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moyers, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gerhardt and Mr. and Mrs. John Mize of Cape Girardeau were visitors at the D. A. Mize home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Wyatt and children and Mrs. M. Wyatt of Dexter were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Darter.

The first meeting of the Morley Study Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Harris Foster Friday and all members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Boyce and Joan, Mrs. Ruth Finney and children were among the Morley people who attended the circus Tuesday at Cape Girardeau.

Hal Philips, who has been at St. Francis Hospital at Cape Girardeau receiving treatment for a thrice broken leg, was removed to his home again Wednesday.

Miss Nancy Leslie returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit with her aunt and cousin at Potosi. She went to Oran Monday, where she entered school for the winter.

Misses Wilma Ragains and Dorothea Miller of the Sikeston grade faculty spent Sunday at the U. G. Ragainst home. Miss Wilma resumed her work Monday after several days illness.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM KEWANEE

(By Miss Helen Shanks)

(Items for last week)

Miss Helen Sheridan spent Sunday with Miss Ollie Sheppard.

T. J. Graves of Portageville was a business visitor here, Monday.

W. W. Slake of Sikeston was a business visitor in Kewanee Friday.

Miss Virgie Westcoat has returned to St. Louis after having spent several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wescoat.

Mr. and Mrs. D. York spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. T. L. Shanks.

Mrs. Lily McGee and mother, Mrs. A. L. Gould were Sikeston visitors Thursday.

Announcement

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Unlike ordinary cathartics, this substance does not shock or upset the system. It does its work by gently stimulating the liver to cleanse itself by increasing its production of bile—a more natural and thorough laxative than can ever be devised by man.

Sargon Soft Mass Pills are not like any laxative you have ever taken. They are so gentle and thorough in their action that there is nothing about them to remind you that you have ever taken a medicine, and most remarkable of all, their directions call for a gradual reduction of the dose until the point is reached where you no longer require a laxative of any kind.

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Cook Asks Recount of New Madrid Primary Vote

A hearing will be held in New Madrid Friday, August 26, before Judge Duncan to determine whether or not a recount of primary election ballots will be made. An objection was filed by O. A. Cook, defeated Democratic candidate for prosecuting attorney. The incumbent, J. V. Conran, won the nomination by 16 votes, polling 2831 to 2815.

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THIRD ANNUAL FIRE SCHOOL HERE WEDNESDAY ENJOYS ITS LARGEST ENROLLMENT

Cape Girardeau will conduct the next Fourth Annual Southeast Missouri Fire School Short Course, and Commissioner E. P. Ellis will be President of the organization. Officers were elected for the coming year at the late evening business session here Wednesday. Jim Taylor, fire chief of Paragould, Ark., was re-elected to the office of vice-president, and H. C. Young of Sikeston was named secretary-treasurer.

The third annual Southeast Missouri Fire School short course was held Wednesday, August 17, with a record enrollment of 119 members, mayors, councilmen and interested visitors. An interesting and instructive program was carried through without a hitch under the leadership of Captain H. C. Ousley, Raymond Schuermann, Harry K. Rogers, Burr Taylor connected with the Missouri Inspection Bureau and the Western Actuarial Bureau. The entire program was planned and supervised by John Young, Sikeston fire chief and president of the Southeast Missouri group.

Those registered by noon included the following: Capt. H. C. Ousley, St. Louis; J. A. Young, chief, and H. C. Young of Sikeston, W. E. Edom, St. Louis F. A. Schneider and Chief Charles F. Steck of Jackson, Chris Lutteke and George Slater of Ferguson, Chief Mose Alexander of Moberly; J. R. Mabrey, N. A. Illers, Henry Sievers and Marvin Poe of Jackson, Commissioner F. L. Martini and Chief James C. Ryan of Maplewood, Chief R. A. McKee and L. C. Middleton of Ironton, Chief J. J. Klughart, Wallace and Waldo Reynolds, and Mayor G. S. Cannon of Fornfelt, Capt. R. E. Hernecker of Maplewood, Lieut. I. A. Harris of Memphis, Tenn., T. R. Vickrey, Herman Van Dorn and Capt. Ogie Selmiger of Arcadia, Chief Harry K. Rogers of Chicago, Raymond Schuermann, engineer with the Missouri Inspection Bureau, St. Louis; Chief S. R. Longgear, Fred Ford, M. Milliams, Leon Huskey and H. H. Clark of Kennett, Assistant Chief J. H. Dean, J. A. Ponder, J. C. Green, Ray Tanner, C. O. Frederick and W. D. Tanner of Doniphan, Chief Edwin J. Cadding, Assistant Chief John L. Coad, and Committeeman Louis Miller of Arcadia, Alderman J. N. Barnes, T. E. Baker, A. C. Carter and Chief B. C. Grady of Portageville, Commissioner E. P. Ellis, J. M. Chostner, O. S. Fowler and Chief G. D. French of Cape Girardeau, Chief T. A. Cruchon, Roland Barry and Barney Kimball of New Madrid, C. H. Robinson, John White and H. H. Mayes of Caruthersville, Chief L. R. Patterson, W. A. Stewart and Reed Hardy of Dexter, Chief and Mrs. Al Varble, Warren Brown, Carl Smith, W. C. Lambert, Benny Glency, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kelley of Chaffee, J. Burr Taylor, Secretary Missouri State Fire Prevention Association of St. Louis; Chief Victor Malloure of Caruthersville, Lon Swanner, Milburn Arbaugh, Mayor N. E. Fuchs, O. T. Elder, Councilman L. F. Mayfield, E. G. Buchanan, E. L. Swanner, C. E. Felker, M. L. Limbaugh, C. H. Denman, George Dye, Ed Branum, C. L. Blanton, Jr., and Art. Wallhausen of Sikeston, Chief W. A. Steward of Malden, C. H. Mahu, St. Louis; Chief Engineer G. D. Sutter of Little Rock, Ark., Chief Engineer M. I. Parker of St. Louis, Harry Rabe of Cape Girardeau, Chief E. Powell and Scott Wallace of Hayti, Ralph Nesler, G. W. Miller, Pete Kitchens of Paragould, Ark., Chief T. W. Dunn, Adrain Grant, J. E. Williams, Wm. Brashere, Owen Cook, Dr. C. W. Reed and C. H. Stanfil of Charleston, E. C. Marietta of Moberly, Chief L. A. Perrett, Assistant Chief Harold House, and Clifford Hinkle of Bonne Terre, Chief F. E. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Leinkuehler, Walter Weavers of Poplar Bluff, Kelley Fralick of Dexter, W. O. Owen of St. Louis, Mayor H. R. Dunn and Chief Paul Wilson of Bloomfield, Fire Chief Jim Taylor of Paragould, Ark., Capt. Perry Johnson, Roy Roberts and D. D. Phillips of Fredericktown.

Five visitors registering late Wednesday afternoon included Jas. R. Callan of St. Louis, Rev. W. Clark Ellzey of Benton, George Brown and A. L. DeLisle of Portageville and Fireman L. W. Drissell of Chaffee.

The program for the day started with registration and an address of welcome by Mayor N. E. Fuchs. Then followed a period of discussion and inspection of minor equipment in charge of Chief S. R. Longgrear of Kennett.

Members of the association then witnessed a demonstration in Malone Park of various types of fire hose, shut off nozzles, various size tips and other inovations now used by progressive departments. Raymond Schuermann, Engineer with the Missouri Inspection Bureau, St. Louis, conducted this part of the program. After another brief session at the City Hall, where Chief Roggrs demonstrated proper use of ladder equipment, members and visitors enjoyed the noon luncheon in the Methodist church basement, served by members of the Russell-Bradley Missionary Society. Sikeston Lions held their noon luncheon in connection. J. Burr Taylor acted as chairman of the meeting and toastmaster. Immediately following the luncheon, the meeting was again called to order at the City Hall, and following that, visiting firemen and the public were guests of O. W. McCutchen at a free motion picture show depicting the evolution of fire fighting equipment and salvage operations as used by modern progressive departments. Mac played to a packed house.

Following the free motion picture show, Chief Harry K. Rogers, Engineer with the Fire Prevention Department of Western Actuarial Bureau, Chicago, and Captain H. C. Ousley conducted demonstrations in the City Hall lot showing proper methods of ventilating burning structures, proper use of gas masks, and demonstrated several types of knots which should be used by firemen. After this the business meeting was held in the City Hall auditorium.

Several hundred spectators witnessed the evening program consisting of proper methods of using fire extinguishers in gasoline fires, first aid and rescue work and thrilling power exhibitions in which Sikeston Firemen and local Boy Scouts participated. The Sikeston Drum and Bugle Corps attracted attention to the program by marching from the Armory to the scene of operations east of the City Hall. Then followed several selections by the Sikeston Brass Band, which made its debut under the leadership of Professor Paul Slinkard. Captain Ousley then took charge for a few moments, showing the right and wrong way of using mechanical extinguishers. A rain threatened to interfere at this time, but the program continued with a brief lecture by Chief Rogers on first aid and rescue work. This part of the program was necessarily cut short before the use of an inhalator could be demonstrated in order that the crowd might see the more spectacular part of the program consisting of actual tower drills by Capt. Ousley, Chief Rogers, the Sikeston Fire Boys and Boy Scouts.

Visitors and especially the trained personnel of the Missouri Inspection Bureau and Western Actuarial Bureau were decidedly impressed by the well planned and excellently executed program which was entirely the product of Chief John A. oung, retiring President of the Association. Chief Young Thursday morning expressed his appreciation of the wonderful co-operation accorded him by various individuals and organizations in making the Sikeston Fire School one of the most successful ever conducted in this district.

Relief Program Aids 821 Men in Mo. State Highway Department

For the past several months Highway Division 10 officials have had in effect certain forms of unemployment relief outlined recently by the Missouri State Highway Commission approved by Henry S. Caulfield, and placed in effect by an official ruling.

In the Maintenance Department of Division 10 alone, a total of 821 extra men were given employment during the month of July, with a total labor wage expenditure of $10,144.85 or an average of $9.26 per man per week. These men, with the exception of 81 skilled extras, were rotated one week about on concrete repair crews, cleaning of right-of-way, shoulder repairing, grading and reconditioning projects, oil mat work, etc.

The extra force mentioned is in addition to the regular maintanance department personnel, and was divided in the twelve counties comprising Division 10.

STILL TIME TO ENROLL IN RED CROSS SWIM SCHOOL

The annual Scott County Red Cross Chapter Swimming School which got underway last Monday evening with an erollment of thirty-five members will continue this week, Friday, according to Wilbur Ensor, Chairman of that department of Red Cross activities. Due to the fact that the Fire School Short Course Wednesday night interfered with the regular program, the course will practically start over Friday night with several new members. About one dozen beginners enrolled Monday night, the remainder being more or less experienced swimmers.

Chairman Ensor is particularly anxious to inform other portions of Scott County that the swimming school is a County proposition, and he extends a special invitation to those living away from Sikeston to attend. Meetings will be held each Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights for at least two weeks and probably longer.

MAN AND GIRL FIGHT FOR STEERING WHEEL—JUDGE SAYS 30 DAYS

When Harry Hindman, 40, of Chaffee and Mary Smith, 21, of New Hamburg were arrested Wednesday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock on Highway 55 near Chaffee, both were attempting to steer the Chevrolet Coach, with amusing consequences, if the erratic results of a pair of drunken drivers might be termed amusing. Each was attempting to wrest the wheel from the other, according to Trooper Charles Pierson, who brought the two before Justice Preston at Chaffee.

The judge, however, failed to see anything amusing about a charge of reckless and careless driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, and assessed fines totaling $34.35 each, and thirty days in jail. The fines were paid and the couple has a full month in which to sober up.

NEWPORT, ARK., GROUP VISITS MUNY PLANT

A delegation of city officials and Newport, Ark., citizens last Wednesday visited the Sikeston municipal light and power plant, taking note of methods used in the local system. Included in the group of visitors were Mayor Jesse E. Williams, Dick Bullock, alderman, Fred M. Pickens, City Attorney; A. Z. Honze, manager of the Newport office of the Arkansas Power & Light Co.; Duncan Anderson, managing editor, Newport Independent News; B. W. Jamison and S. G. Parker, residents of that city.

SHERIFF TOM SCOTT TAKES FOUR TO PRISON

Sheriff Tom Scott is expected to leave Benton early this (Friday) morning with four prisoners recently sentenced to the Missouri Penitentiary. They include Larry Hargraves, young Perkins farmer, sentenced to life imprisonment for the church slaying of his young wife last March; Cal Grant, two years for violation of parole; Loren Porter, two years for forgery, and a negro, Gerge Johnson, two years for house breaking in connection with the Louis Ferrell robbery here early this summer.

Norborne—Dr. D. E. Quaintance of Kansas City, opened dental office here.

Highway 55 Project Will Be First in Division 10 to Fall Under Unemployment Relief Program

Men to Replace Machine Under Provisions of Emergency Relief Program of Highway Department

Jefferson City, August 15.—The emergency program of the State Highway Department, designed to give employment to 12,000 extra men, was outlined today by Chief Engineer T. H. Cutler at a meeting here attended by all Highway Department Bureau chiefs and their assistants and all division engineers and their assistants.

Gov. Caulfield, who spoke briefly, praised the Highway Department for taking "every available step within the law" to help relieve the unemployment situation in Missouri.

"The duty of the State to her people cannot be ignored", the Governor said. "The existing conditions do not justify the exploitation of labor by the State nor by the contractors doing business for the State".

To Replace Machines

Under the emergency program which Gov. Caulfield said had resulted in many messages of appreciation from all parts of the State, man-power will replace machine operation wherever possible.

1. The replacing of old bridges over streams where old-type, narrow bridges are now being used.
2. The use of manual labor in changing the channels of streams to protect bridges, and the construction of new bridges now that are scheduled to be built in the next few years.
3. The paint bridge crews to replace spray guns with brushes.
4. The mowing of weeds on right-of-way by team instead of using power equipment.
5. The possible use of manual labor and teams on all contracts calling for the moving of less than 10,000 yards of earth.
6. The grubbing and clearing on all available right-of-way to be done by hand.
7. The using of hand or team labor to widen curves and correct the sight distances on roads built under the old standards.
8. The building of culverts on all roads where the right-of-way has been obtained, as this type of work is not greatly affected by winter conditions.
9. The completion of the grading of all sections now unimproved on the Centennial system as early as possible in 1933.
10. The stock piling of all materials to be used during the next two or three years, and requiring the operators to use hand labor in quarrying this material.

Many other possibilities for the employment of extra manpower are being studied by Cutler and his assistants. All extra work will be handled through contractors and not through the Highway Department.

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The first contracts under the emergency program probably will be awarded late this month.

Official notification has been received by A. R. Towse, Highway Division 10 engineer located at Sikeston, that the much discussed Highway 55AP road project is included in contract lettings scheduled by the Commission for August 31. A total of 81 projects in 34 Missouri Counties, including 32 bridge, 287.5 miles of gravel, 42.2 miles of concrete and 31.6 miles of graded earth calling for an estimated expenditure of two and one-half million dollars, are included in the letting.

Construction of Route 55AP, a distance of approximately 9 miles of high type gravel will be the first Division 10 project to fall under the drastic unemployment relief program made effective by an order of the Commission August 15, and heartily endorsed by Governor Henry S. Caulfield.

Under provisions of the relief program, all unskilled and skilled labor which may be employed on new projects, or now at work and not under the direction of contractors, will be permitted to work only thirty hours per week. Unskilled labor will be paid a minimum wage of 35 cents an hour, while skilled labor will draw 50c per hour. Furthermore, as far as practicable, all heavy labor and teams, especially in clearing and grubbing right-of-way, grading, placing pipes and underdrains, construction culverts, masonry, and bridges up to 50-foot span, curb and gutter projects, and certain paving operations. Contractors who submit bids for any of the new paving projects August 31, will not be permitted to operate mixers in tandem, as was done on Highway 61 project from Benton to Sikeston.

In order to make the new plan operative, each County unemployment committee will be required to furnish a list of available men within 48 hours after notification by a contractor. If the list is not furnished within that time limit, the contractor will be permitted to pick up avaliable labor.

Although this statement has not been verified, the Scott County Red Cross Chapters will probably be asked to co-operate in compiling lists of available, unemployed men in this county.

The construction of Route 55 is expected to be of material assistance in relieving the unemployment in Chaffee particularly. Approximately 300 heads of families in that city are reported to be on part-time jobs, or out of employment altogether, and in need of work at this time.

Plans and specifications for constructing Route 55 have long been drafted and approved. The project was originally scheduled for June and July lettings, but the filing of an injunction suit with the Public Service Commission in which an exception was taken to an order for the construction of an overpass over the Frisco tracks, delayed the project until this time. The suit has not been withdrawn, nor has the Missouri Supreme Court acted on the filing. However, the road will be constructed up to either side of the contemplated overpass, and traffic will be directed over the old route, across the tracks at the present crossing, using as much of the new construction as possible.

When completed, Highway 55 will afford an adequate outlet for Chaffee and Oran, and it is expected to relieve the traffic situation materially on Highway 61.

Missouri Public Schools to Receive Approximately Thirty-Five Per Cent of Minimum Allotment

Jefferson City, August 16.—The State Department of Education announced today that $3,493,622 is available at the present time for distribution to Missouri public schools. The total minimum apportionment for the year under the school law passed by the last legislature is $10,154,856, but only approximately 35 per cent of that amount now is available.

Of the amount of the apportionment, $2,992,536 is for rural aid, $6,964,432 for high school aid and $23000 for buildings aid.

The amount received by various counties is based upon attendance quotas and teaching units.

At the time the new school law was passed it was expected that the new graduated income tax schedule would provide ample fund to pay the minimum guarantee, but State revenues have fallen off sharply, due to depressed economic conditions and it now appears only half the full apportionment will be paid. One-third of the State's general revenue goes into the school fund.

Two payments are to be made on the apportionment. The first, shall be paid immediately, represents one-third of the general revenue from July 1, 1932 to March 1, 1933. The estimated amount for the March 15 payment is $1,500,000, which will bring to approximately $5,000,000 the amount to be given the schools this year. This is approximately 50 per cent of the apportionment.

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According to C. E. Felker, County treasurer, Scott County last year received a total of $70,950.50 aid. The quota for 1932 is only $42,774.82. However, Treasurer Felker had not been notified as yet, as to the amounts which will be made available for rural and city schools in the county.

Capahas and Charleston Cards Sign For Games Featuring the Great Dean and Elam Vangilder

Charleston, August 17.—Jerome "The Great Dizzy" Dean of the St. Louis Cardinals' pitching staff, and strikeout king of the National League, was a visitor in Charleston last Monday. He came Sunday night to visit with friends and to transact some business.

While in the city arrangements were tentatively made with Jesse Jackson and Gunther Simpson to pitch two ball games for the locals at the close of the National League season. Both games will be with the Cape Girardeau Capahas, the first possibly at Cape Girardeau and the other at Charleston one week later. VanGlider, late of the Toledo Club, will be moundsman for the Girardeau team.

Should the present winning streak of the Cardinals be continued and the League title annexed, dates of the two games will be changed to October.

A report is current that Dean will be associated with the Simpson Oil Co., during the coming winter, and that he will possibly be connected with the new restaurant and oil station recently opened in Cape Girardeau.

POTASHNICK NINE TO PLAY INTERNATIONALS SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Potashnick Truck Service baseball nine will meet the Internationals on the local diamond next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The game will be played "winner take all", according to Gene Potashnick, manager of the Truckers.

Battries will be, for the Shoemakers, Weidermann and Clinton, for the truckmen, Williams and Greer.

FIRE SCHOOL SIDE-LIGHTS

The next time Tip Keller makes a price "for cleaning white gloves" he will very likely ask a few questions, especially after his experience with gloves worn by firemen.

O. T. Elder of the Sikeston F. D. called Tipton Wednesday afternoon thusly: "How much for cleaning a pair of white gloves?"

"Thirty cents", said Tip.

'Awright, hold everything. I'm sending a pair over right away and would like to have 'em back today", quoth Elder.

* * * * * later in the day Fireman Elder hauled out the pair of white gloves for the inspection of the correspondent. They measured roughly 24 inches from finger tip to top, and about eight inches across the palm.

Said gloves are made of asbestos and are used by firemen in handling "hot things".

Now get your mind outa the gutter.

But speaking of "big guns" at the Fire School meeting. How about Mayor G. S. CANNON of Fornfelt?

"Jbird" Taylor, Secretary Missouri Fire Prevention Association, wishes to take this method of thanking his unknown friends for their nice remembrance. However, Mr. J. Burr Taylor indicated to your correspondent, in private, that he had been reading the Waldorf Tissue advertisements, and that he would be governed accordingly with reference to using the two reds to one white.

Captain H. C. Ousley of St. Louis, easily tracked over the Midwestern States area by the trail of unbroken, bruised and/or cracked hearts in his wake, was also present. Cap Ousley can do more things with a ladder and a bit of rope than the ordinary circus clown manages to accomplish in a lifetime. He makes his bread and butter for self and the little Ousleys by training, or assisting, volunteer firemen in country towns.

And is he good, or is he good.

Chief Engineer Harry K. Rogers of Chicago is a walking compendium of facts, general knowledge, and ability. He can make a rope do anything but talk French, and rumor has it that he can make Manial s(t)ay hemp in that lingo. Rogers really gets warmed up over methods of life saving, salvage and rescue work generally.

All in all Chief Young of Sikeston is to be commended for getting out a record crowd for the Southeast Missouri Association meeting. One hundred and nineteen fire fighters from Memphis, Chicago, St. Louis and Bonne Terre, not to mention Chaffee, Fornfelt, Chaffee, Charleston, Maplewood, Ironton and Arcadia, Kennett, Poplar Bluff and Cape Girardeau—have I omitted anyone except Moberly? Stop me if you've heard that one.

If Mac McCutchen could pack 'em in daily or nightly at a price as he did during the free Fire School matinee Wednesday afternoon, the Deepression would be laughed off the map.

Said movie demonstrated more plainly than words alone modern fire fighting and salvage operations, plus a few reels showing the evolution of fire fighting equipment from the ancient volunteer man power outfit, to the highly modernized equipment used by the City of New York. Approximately seventy-five per cent of fire loss could be salvaged if proper equipment and trained personnel is available. We quote from the talkies.

The smoke demonstration Wednesday afternoon illustrated forcibly the handicaps under which the Sikeston, and other small volunteer departments, are laboring. The cost of a self-contained oxygen gas mask may be prohibitive, but our fire boys are risking their necks each time they don a cannister type mask UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

Prof. Paul Slinkard pulled a big surprise Wednesday night when he made his first public appearance as director of the Sikeston Brass Band. Most of the musicians played the same piece at the same time, and received the approval of the gathering.

The Wednesday night program was quite the most spectacular series of demonstrations of firemanship scheduled during the day. Catherine Ann Cook, Mrs. Fern Bowman and Joe Dover were "rescued" from the second story level of the "burning" tower; Capt. Ousley and Engineer Rogers demonstrated methods of leaving a structure using a rope and life belts, and finally the Sikeston Boy Scouts went to the assistance of the Fire Department in extinguishing the blaze.

A rain threat which failed to materialize in volume, cut short the evening program in that demonstrations of rescue work using the inhalator and other methods, was omitted. Captain Ousley, however, provided an effective demonstration of extinguishing gasoline fires using six different types of mechanical extinguishers.

FINAL DAMAGE SUIT ON SECTION OF 61 SETTLED FOR $1884

The last section of legal procedure on right-of-way difficulties on the highway between Cape Girardeau and Jackson was completed late Tuesday, August 16, when a jury in Scott County Circuit Court at Benton awarded Miss Laura Cramer of Jackson, damages amounting to $1884.75 for right-of-way taken from the Wilson Cramer estate, east of the County seat for Highway 61, built two years ago.

LUCAS AGAIN HEADS SCOTT COUNTY DEMOS.

At a meeting of the new members of the Scott County Democratic Committee held at Benton Tuesday night, Ray B. Lucas, Benton Attorney, was re-elected as chairman. Mrs. Mary Roth of Sikeston was elected vice chairman, Miss Amy Boyce of Morley, secretary and Otto Schoen of Fornfelt, treasurer.

Officers of the Republican County Committee were elected as follows: Marion Murphy of Morley, chairman; Mrs. Ida Hawkins of Commerce, vice chairman; Mrs. Mrs. Maude Daugherty of Morley, secretary and W. L. Tomlinson of Fornfelt, treasurer.

BROTHER OF MRS. KATE COOK DIES WEDNESDAY, SERVICES TO BE HERE

Mrs. Kate Cook is in receipt of a telegram this morning (Thursday) informing her of the death of her brother, James Spencer Green, 72 years old, who died at his home in Brookline, Mass., last Wednesday night, his death being caused by a stroke of paralys suffered three weeks ago. Mr. Cook formerly lived in St. Louis, and had retired from the Missouri Pacific Railway Company as conductor.

The body will be brought here for burial, but funeral arrangements have not been made. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. L. E. Mackinnon of Brookline, and Mrs. Fred Moore of Holdenville, Okla.

VANDUSER CHURCH TO HAVE REVIVAL

A revival meeting to be conducted by Rev. James Hooten of Hamphill, Tenn., will begin Sunday, August 27 at the Church of God at Vanduser and will continue for fourteen days. The public is invited to attend.

Norborne—Celebration held to inaugurate opening of Supplementary Route D, north of here.

Famous Flier With $50,000.00 14-Passenger Plane To Visit Sikeston This Week, Friday



Reg Robbins of Ft. Worth, Texas, known in air circles as "the world's greatest barnstormer", will visit Sikeston all day Friday, using the Greer Airport north of the city as a base of operations. Robbins is bringing a tri-motored Ford all-metal ship with a seating capacity of fourteen on the present ship.

The aviator will be remembered as the flier who in 1929 established a world refueling record remaining aloft for more than one week. His record, however, was subsequently shattered. In 1931 Robbins made two unsuccessful starts on a Pacific flight to Tokyo.

A Delayed Jump

One of the feature attractions of the day will be a delayed parachute jump by Leon McKennon, who will attempt a 1000-foot delayed jump before tugging the rip cord.

Associated with Robbins will be Nick Greener, former partner of Jimmie Mattern. The latter will be remembered as the associate of Griffin on an Atlantic flight recently to Berlin, Germany. Greener and Mattern participated in the Alaska refueling stunt.

Eldon—R. C. Lindel opened job printing shop and plans to start publications of Democratic newspaper to be known as Miller County Advocate".

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM KEWANEE

(By Miss Helen Shanks)

H. R. Keith spent a few hours in Malden, Thursday.

Sam Taylor of Ristine was a Kewanee visitor Monday.

Mrs. Sarah Davis spent a few hours in Malden Thursday, visiting her brother Frank Jont.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence entry and three small children of Michigan are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brotherton and children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Sheridan.

Mrs. Drurie York had as dinner guests, Sunday, Mrs. Thomas Shanks and children, Mrs. Rhoda York and sons, Thomas and Ernest, and Jennings Rhodes. The occasion was Mr. York's thirty-first birthday.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MOREHOUSE

(By Dories James)

Melvin Griffith, of Evansville, Ind., is visiting friends here.

John Reeves of Canalou was business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spence were Cape Girardeau visitors Thursday.

Miss Elouise Bonel of Chaffee is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Addis Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodge of Chicago, Ill., are visiting friends here.

Miss Zelma Carter of Galconda, Ill., is the guest of Miss Oddie Bell Hicks.

Wm. James and Gus Sutton were business visitors in New Madrid, Monday.

Mrs. Edgar Gray and daughter, Miss Arnetta, were Bloomfield visitors Monday.

Miss Vanita Edwards is visiting friends and relatives in Kennett this week.

Dude Riggs, Wm. James and Paul James had business in New Madrid Wednesday.

Hershal Jones and family of Hughes, Ark., are visiting his sister, Mrs. Ben Stewart.

Miss Virginia Householder of New Madrid is the guest of Miss Doris James this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Howell and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pender of Cape Girardeau visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stearns of Johnson City, Ill., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brown.

Mrs. Paul Sherrard left Wednesday for Ports Mouth, Va., to join her husband.

Mrs. Wiley Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Dorrell Rose of St. Louis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stewart.

Mrs. O. D. Edwards returned Wednesday, after a short visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Tony Cerney of Fornfelt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Janes of Alto Pas, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Butler of Chicago were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Leming. They all enjoyed an outing at Big Springs State Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fox of Charleston visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Fox, Sunday evening.

Miss Delores Williamson returned home from Pharris Ridge Saturday, where she has spent the summer with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Cain and daughter, Jackie, and Mrs. Cain's brother, J. W. Wilkins, left Saturday for points in California to spend their vacation.

Mrs. G. R. Fisher and children and Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith Leming left Wednesday of last week for a month's vacation at the Fisher cottage on a lake near Culver, Ind.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

(Mrs. W. H. Deane)

W. O. and Hinkle Statler of Cape Girardeau were Matthews visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and children of Braggadocio visited Mrs. Wm. Deane, Jr., Monday.

Miss Anne Davis of East Prairie spent Monday and Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Donald Story.

Dr. G. W. Presnell was called from Sikeston Monday to see Mrs. W. H. Deane, who is again ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ratcliff have purchased a new Ford sedan from the Ford shop in Sikeston.

Misses Nadine and Irma Duckette of Advance are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. Zimmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Story and little daughter, Martha Ann, returned Saturday from a week's visit in the Ozarks.

Master Glenn Gurley returned Sunday from Kewanee, where he had been visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hunott.

A number of the ladies surprised Mrs. Lawrence Silverthorn with a six o'clock dinner Monday. The occasion being her birthda- anniversary.

Rev. D. M. Margraves started a revival at the M. E. Church Sunday night. Everybody is invited to attend services and help to make the revival a glorious success.

Little Miss Yvonne King and brother, Leroy, returned to their home in Tiptonville, Tenn., Monday after a week's visit here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King.

Frank Sibley and son, Bill, Fred Story, Billie Gameinhardt, G. D. Englehart and Tollie Warren returned Friday from a week's fishing and hunting trip at Eleven Point River.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rice and little sons, Joe Peary, and Aubrey Clark of St. Louis, arrived Monday for a visit with Mrs. Rice's mother, Mrs. Cora Gossett and aunt, Mrs. Robert Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lumsden and baby, Larry, spent Sunday in Big Opening with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmurth. Mrs. Wilmurth left Monday for a visit in Murray, Ky., and Mr. Wilmurth for a visit in East Chicago, nd.

Mesdames Albert Deane, Fred Story, Frank Sibley, Charles Lumsden, Clifford Sutton, Dimple Gurley and Misses Helen Deane and Berniece Sutton motored to Hayti Thursday to spend the day with Mrs. Charles Spalding and daughters, Miss Leola and Lillian Spalding and Hazel Mitchell, accompanied Misses Sutton and Deane home for a week's visit.

Mrs. Amos Buchanan and sons of Corpus Christi, Texas, spent several days here last week visiting Mrs. Buchanan's grandmother, Mrs. Cora Gossett and aunt, Mrs. Robert Ball and her numerous friends, who are always so glad to see her. Mrs. Buchanan is always remembered as Miss Ruth Hill, a sweet and lovable girl, who made and had a large host of friends here, where she lived a number of years.

Mrs. Jennie Weatherford and granddaughter, Miss Treacy Caldwell, returned to their home in Mayfield, Ky., Tuesday, after a week's visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Weatherford. Mr. and Mrs. Weatherford and Mrs. Jack Matthews of Sikeston accompanied Mrs. Weatherford and Miss Caldwell as far as Birds Point. A number of families came over from Kentucky and enjoyed a picnic dinner before returning to that State.

Harold Lumsden accompanied Johnny Steele to his home in Cape Girardeau Monday for a few days' visit.

FRAGMENTS OF 'SHOOTING STAR' HIT MISSOURI

Kansas City, August 12.—Earl and Harry Christiansen, farmers of Archie, Mo., said today that three fragments, tentatively identified by E. S. Haynes, professor of astronomy at the University of Missouri, as parts of a Perseid meteor, landed on their farm Wednesday afternoon.

One fragment made a hole within six feet of where Harry was standing. It weighed half a pound.

Another fell nearby. The third was found in a cornfield where Earl was at work.

Both men said they noticed puffs of smoke in the sky. The time was 4:30 p. m.

"At 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon", Prof. Haynes said, "the region from which the Perseids come was about five degrees above the northern horizon. It would be several hours later that this portion of the earth would be turned so as to be direcly in the stream, but such a stream as the Perseids undoubtedly would have isolated fragments on its outer rim".

GOLDEN KEY TO SAFETY BOX OF QUEEN MARY

London.—A safety deposit box, 40 feet below the level of Piccadilly, which can be opened only with a golden key has been presented to Queen Mary.

To reach the box it is necessary for her emissary to pass an identification test through a grill, speak a password demanded at a door weighing 20 tons and pass seven other tests before the golden key may be inserted in the lock and the box opened.

Carrollton—Lavon Bledsoe purchased Poindexter store.

News of The Town

MRS. C. M. HARRIS, Phone 581

Miss Mildred Williams of Poplar Bluff is visiting at the home of her Uncle, Wayne Bess.

Miss Dorothy Walker and Sheldon Brewer visited friends in Farmington, Sunday.

Mrs. John Inman returned Sunday from Poplar Bluff, where she had been visiting with relatives.

Miss Pauline Frazier returned to her home at Himmel, Sunday, after a visit here with Miss Louise Wood.

Mrs. Rose Gordon and daughter, Mrs. Alvine Owens and Mrs. John Colvert of Cape Girardeau and Mr. and Mrs. Val Mitchell and family of Malden were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rayburn and children went to Cape Girardeau Sunday, where they joined others for a day's outing. All returned home that evening but Colleen, who remained for a week's visit with relatives.

Several members of the Westway Club, in company with their families, enjoyed a weiner roast last Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ritter on Moore Avenue. The affair was to have been held in the hills near Morley, but due to an approaching storm, all returned to the Ritter home, where the weiners were roasted and games played. A very pleasant time was had by all.

Mrs. Ben Ritter last Friday evening entertained with a surprise birthday party for her husband. The evening was spent in playing bingo, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker and son, John Dudackk, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Waggoner, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rayburn and son, Marvin, and daughter, Colleen, Mr. and Mrs. Elmos Taylor and daughter Nina Vern, Mr. and Mrs. George Lufcy and daughter, Wanda Lee, and Mr. Ritter and son, Howard, and daughter, Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning Greer and son, Paul, of Cape Girardeau spent the week-end here with Mrs. Greer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown and daughter, Jo Ann, left Saturday for a business and pleasure trip to Jefferson City and Mexico, Mo. They are expected home today (Thursday).

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Johnson and small son, Aaron, Jr., and Mrs. Ethel Yates of St. Louis spent the week-end in Sikeston visiting with their relatives. They left Sunday afternoon accompanied by Miss Lewana Davis, who had been visiting here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bailey and sons, Kent and John, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bailey and children were in West Frankfort, Ill., Sunday, where they attended a birthday dinner given for John L. Bailey. Mr. Bailey is the father of R. E. Bailey and on this day celebrated his 90th birth anniversary.

Mrs. Will Haman of Buckeye, Mrs. Howard Morrison and children of Newark, N. J., and Mrs. Harvey Morrison spent Saturday and Sunday in Kentucky. Mrs. Haman and Mrs. Morrison and children visited relatives at Paducah, while the latter Mrs. Morrison visited her cousin, Mrs. Alice Tribble and other relatives at Wickliffe.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McCord and children returned last Saturday from a visit in Indiana with their relatives. While away they attended a reunion of the McCord family held in Ravine Park, at which about 130 relatives were present. Others who were present from this section were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCord and family of Lilbourn, and Mrs. and Mrs. R. A. Bailey and family of this city. J. E. McCord and family also arrived home Saturday, but Mr. Bailey and family stopped at West Frankfort, Ill., for a visit with Mr. Bailey's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker of East Prairie spent Sunday here as guests of Mrs. M. E. Prouty.

Mrs. Raymond Hall of Poplar Bluff came Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Swaim.

Mrs. Anna Underwood is reported to be very low. Mrs. Underwood is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Swaim. on Gladys St.

The Louisiana students won the State Club Water Meet at the Chillicothe Business College which a year ago was won by the South Missourians but the Northwest Club again won the Tennis Tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Adams and children of Benton and Mr. and Mrs. Eli Williams and children and Misses Marie Shell and S. E. Wymer spent last Thursday evening at Wolf Hole. A swimming party was enjoyed, after which supper was spread.

Mrs. H. J. Welsh drove to St. Louis Saturday to visit her daughter and son-in-law, Helen and Harvey S. Johnson. The latter recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in DePaul Hospital. Mr. Johnson will be allowed to leave the institution this week-end.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE

WHEREAS, William L. Carroll and wife, Susan Mary Carroll, by their deed of trust dated March 27th, 1922, filed in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri and recorded in Book No. 44 at Pages Nos. 185 and 186, conveyed to Commerce Trust Company of Kansas City, Missouri, Trustee, for the purpose of securing the indebtedness therein described, the following described property, situated in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

The South Half of Lot 1 of the Northwest Quarter; all of Lots 1, 2 and 3 of the Southwest Quarter and the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 30, Township 27 North, Range 14 East of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing in all 278.955 acres according to Government Survey.

WHEREAS, the trustee named in said deed of trust refused to act, and the owner and holder of said indebtedness appointed the undersigned as substitute trustee, which appointment was duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of taxes as provided for in said deed of trust, and default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the holder of said indebtedness has requested me to sell the said real estate according to the terms of said deed of trust.

NOW THEREFORE, at the request of the holder and owner of said indebtedness, I, E. C. Pierce, Substitute Trustee, do hereby give notice that by virtue of the power and authority given to me by said deed of trust, and the aforesaid Appointment of Substitute Trustee, I shall proceed to sell the real estate hereinabove and in said deed of trust described, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Scott County Court House at Benton, Missouri, on

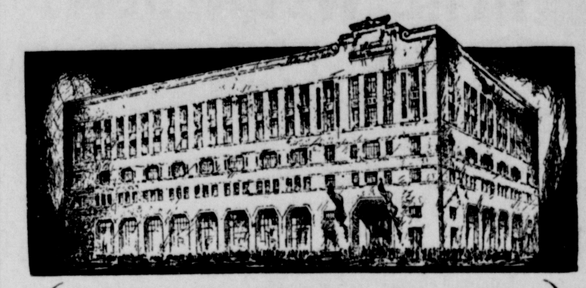
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between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. on that day beginning at or about the hour of 1:00 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of satisfying and paying the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the cost of executing this trust.

WITNESS my signature this 8th day of August, 1932.

E. C. PIERCE,
Substitute Trustee

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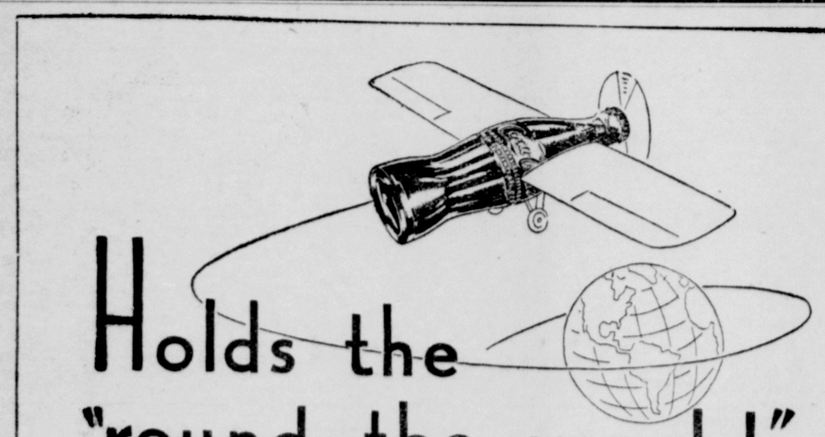
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CONSTIPATION

The Curse of the Ages

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NEW DISCOVERY BRINGS LASTING RELIEF TO THOUSANDS

Medical Authorities Agree That Old Fashioned Purgatives, Salts, Oils, Cathartics and Laxatives Have Never Cured Constipation and Never Will.

Remarkable Treatment Discovered

The commonest and greatest curse of mankind is constipation. It is man's greatest enemy. It poisons him, slows him down mentally and physically, breaks down youthful strength and vigor, ages him prematurely and leaves him an easy victim to the attack of almost countless diseases. Millions are virtual slaves to the laxative habit, without obtaining real or permanent relief.

Cathartics do relieve constipation for the time being, but their effect is only temporary at best and the more we resort to such artificial aids, the more we require, because their continued use weakens the natural action of the bowels.

AN AMAZING DISCOVERY

Medical Science has discovered that bile, prepared by the liver, is a natural laxative and that people with a normal flow of bile are practically immune to constipation. Furthermore, we now know that bile is an antiseptic and anti-acid and combats putrefaction and the formation of gas in the bowels. It's also a digestant without which proper digestion and assimilation is impossible.

A QUART A DAY

But when our livers become inactive or sluggish and fail to pour into the intestinal tract the necessary quart of bile each day, we suffer from constipation, indigestion, headaches, biliousness, sour stomach and many other common ailments. Recent reports indicate that probably seven out of every ten person's past thirty years old suffer frequently from lack of bile due to a sluggish liver.

OLD THEORIES OVERTURNED

Until the discovery of Sargon Soft Mass Pills it has been the common practice to blast out the intestines with calomel and other drastic cathartics and purges, believing that they stimulated the liver. But Modern Medical Science has now learned that calomel, salts, oils and other laxative drugs have no effect whatever on the liver or its production of bile.

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A world wide search has been carried on for a harmless substance which would actually invigorate a sluggish liver to normal production of bile—Nature's Great Weapon Against Constipation. This has been accomplished.

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News of the Town

By Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Leslie Watson and family moved to Morley Monday.

Jim Marshall of near Sikeston is visiting Judge and Mrs. W. L. Carroll.

Why not try a loaf of cheese bread made of Kraft's best cheese by Welter's Bake Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smoot of Miner Switch left Sunday for Canada for an extended visit.

Miss Dixie Massengill left Saturday for Springfield to visit her sister, Mrs. Paul Lohmeyer.

Miss Mabel McElroy, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Haydock, in Puxico, returned home Sunday.

Tillman Couey of Denver, Colo., arrived last Friday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Couey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Taylor and Miss Mildred Williams of Poplar Bluff spent last Friday morning in New Madrid.

You can now get Welter's home-baked bread sliced at the Welter Bake Shop or your independent home-owned grocer.

Mrs. Joe Smith and son, Joe Lee, of Oak Ridge are visiting this week with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Proffer.

Mrs. Gid Daniels spent Monday at LaForge with her son, John. She assisted John in his school work, he is suffering with a severe sore throat.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williams returned to their home at Zalma, Monday, after a few days' visit here with their son, Eli Williams and family.

Mrs. Anna Finney and three daughters of Evansville, Ind., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Finney. Mrs. Finney and daughters came last week.

The Girl Scouts and chaperons, Misses Nell Yanson and Jewell Mouser, returned Sunday from a two weeks' stay on Castor River, near Swinging Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gnadt and children of Desloge and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Schnobbal, of Florida, were guests one day last week at the Eli Williams home.

Will Hayden, who had been absent from work the past two weeks on account of sickness, was able to return yesterday to his work at the shoe factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Birch Moll and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pitman spent Sunday in Jackson, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spradling. Geraldine Moll, who had been visiting there with relatives, accompanied her parents home.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Duncan left Tuesday for Evansville, Ind., for a visit with Mrs. Duncan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Finney. The last of this week they will go to Elkhart, to attend the Nazarene Assembly. Later, Rev. and Mrs. Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Finney will go to Chicago, Ill., for a visit with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Lee Coffin.

Last Thursday afternoon, Betty Wayne Cummins, assisted by her sister, Mary Jane, entertained thirty-eight little friends with a birthday party. This was Betty Wayne's fourth birthday anniversary and the following were present to help her celebrate the occasion: Joy Mae Edwards, Alice Morrison, Gale Watson, Charlotte Van Horne, Bob and Joe Dye, Joe Jean and Harry Gordon Strain, Gene Topper, Celeste Rosie, Lavern Yoffie, Grace Marie Sitzes, Ben Howard Ritter, Betty and Lettie Meredith, Lois, Ruby and Alva Byrd, Jr., Billie Dudley, Mary Helen Trousdale, Margaret Elizabeth Ann Baker, Shirely Jean Daugherty, Mary Ann Johnson, Bobbie and Billie Foley, Evelyn Klein, Verna, Emma Jean and Alvin Nunley Jr., Herbert Finney, Jr., Anna Bell and Lilliam Limbaugh. The afternoon was spent in playing games after which refreshments were served by Mrs. Cummins, assisted by Misses Freda Reese and Helen Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Reuber returned last Thursday from a month's visit with relatives in Minnesota.

Dan Pepper and family, who have been living in the McClure property on Gladys Street, moved Monday to the Murray Tanner home on Sikes avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Smith and children of Rock Island, Ill., who had been visiting relatives and friends here the past several days, returned to their home Monday.

Shoron Pharris and Mrs. Jas. A. Mocabee spent last Friday in Cape Girardeau with the former's wife, who is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Conter, in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scott of Cairo, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harris and children of Portageville spent Sunday with Mr. Scott's and Mrs. Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cummins and daughters, Mary Jane and day afternoon. While there Mary Betty Wayne were in Morley Sun-Jane and Betty Wayne attended the birthday party of Betty Kathryn Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kelley, formerly Miss Floy McElroy of this city left Bremerton, Wash., Sunday for St. Paul, Alaska, where they will make their home for the next two years. Mr. Kelley is Radioman of U. S. Navy.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rube Coleman and family Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. A. Morefield of Portageville, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hawkins and children, Dorothy Lee, Emma Jean and Callie Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Folks and H. L. Suttles of Hayti.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Smith and children and Mrs. Lloyd Sutton and daughter of Rock Island, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. David Allard and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Lewis and children of near Rootwad, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Lewis and children, Ralph Fennimore, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith and son, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lewis and children and Miss Vernetta Smith of Sikeston enjoyed a picnic at Idalia Springs, Sunday.

At the business meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church held last Thursday afternoon at the church, the following new officers for the society were elected. President, Mrs. James A. Mocabee; first vice-president, Mrs. Milem Limbaugh; second vice-president, Mrs. Dave Reese; third vice-president, Mrs. C. M. Taylor; secretary, Miss Millie Jones; treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Hayden and organ treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Tyer.

GOOD NEWS FOR THE KIDDIES: SCHOOL STARTS THREE WEEKS HENCE

An announcement which will doubtless be hailed with glee by hundreds of Sikeston school children, and parents, was made today by Supt. Roy V. Ellise. Local schools will open for the regular fall term, three weeks from Monday, August 15.

The negro schools will open next Monday, August 22, according to Mr. Ellise, who has engaged a new instructor for colored children to teach elements of manual training. The faculty will consist of three persons, U. S. Hunt of Rust College, Holly Springs, Miss.; Iola Huddleson, A. & I. College, Nashville and Stella Smith of Lincoln University.

Cuba—H. S. Taft purchased Cuba Monument Works.

The directors of the Budget-Gazette of Brookfield, Mo., a semi-weekly newspaper, have announced a decision to change from an independent to a Democratic paper, supporting national, State and County Democratic candidates. The Brookfield Gazette, consolidated with the Budget several years ago, was founded by Col. George Martin in 1867 and was Republican in politics.

NEW TEACHERS COLLEGE CATALOG READY FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS

Cape Girardeau.—The 1932 catalog of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College is now ready for distribution. It gives full particulars of all school activities for the coming terms, courses of study, and detailed information along all ines of college work, entertainment courses, expenses and requirements.

It is illustrated by pictures of the various buildings, groups of students, societies, etc. The illustrations are from photographs taken at night.

The catalog assures a minimum cost of $300 for the academic year. Most of the pupils get through at a total expense of $278.

Correspondence is urged from all desirng to enter a college for the fall semester and an application for a catalog will be promptly attended to. Write to President Jos. A. Serena for a catalog or for any other information dseired.

CHARLESTON BLANKS GREENVILLE NINE, 12-0

Charleston, August 14.—The Charleston Cardinals shut out the Greenville team of the Ozark League here today by a score of 12-0.

The Cardinals pounded out 14 hits off of the two visiting twirlers and erred only once, while the visitors were held to six scattered hits and committeed six miscues.

May of Charleston led the hitting with a triple and two singles. Myers also had three hits, all singles. The other extra-base hits of the day were made by Morrow, a triple, and a double by Ault.

BODY OF DR. NELSON RECOVERED FROM LAKE

Springfield, Mo., August 14.—A body identified as that of Arthur W. Nelson of Boonville, Mo., who was drowned in the Lake of the Ozarks, March 13, while on a fishing outing, was found at Lone Oak Point on the north shore of the Lake View Resort, late today.

The body, clothed in hunting coat and hat and boots, was found by children at play. It was floating on the water about 300 yards from where Dr. Nelson was last reported seen.

Identification was made complete by means of a ring, keys, a watch, and wallet which the doctor carried. Morgan Moulder, Prosecuting Attorney of Camden County, took charge of the articles. The body was taken to Camdenton, Camden County seat.

Dr. Nelson was Democratic candidate for Governor of Missouri in 1924. He was engaged in the banking business at Boonville. W. D. Semple, Prosecuting Attorney of Cooper County and son-in-law of the doctor, also went on the ill-fated fishing expedition. He was rescued alive, but died a few hours later of exposure.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT APPROVES WATER SUPPLY

Samples of city water collected August 10, 1932 from the well, from a tap in the Hotel Marshall, and one on the distribution system received ratings of "satisfactory" last Saturday from W. Scott Johnson, chief public health engineer, Jefferson City. Tests indicated zera B. Coli per 100 cc.

The standard for safe drinking water is not to exceed an average of one B. Coli per 100 cubic centimeters (100 cc is about 1 cupful). B. coli, a germ present in human is used as an index of contamina-and animal intestinal discharges, tion.

Copies of this report were received by Lon Swanner, superintendent of water works, N. E. Fuchs, mayor ,and Dr. G. W. Presnell, city health officer.

Warsaw—Main street being improved.

An effective way to kill a piece of legislation in this country is to attach an objectionable rider to it. A French Deputy has proposed a referendum on future wars. If his opponents are up to snuff, they should tack on a rider providing that the United States be paid some part of the interest on the war debt sometime.

Eclipse Of Sun To Be Partially Visible From This Area Of The Globe

If you should happen to miss the eclipse of the sun on August 31, or if low overhanging clouds obscure your view, there is no need for regret for having been denied this rare astronomical show. There will be more eclipses. In fact one is due again in 1963, roughly 31 years hence.

This last date is the result of recent calculations. Back in 1887, Dr. Theodore von Oppolzer, an Austrian astronomer, completed the monumental task of charting and mapping 8000 eclipses of the sun dating back to 1207 B. C. and to the year 2162 A. D. His published charts were remarkably accurate and for years astronomers accepted his findings at their face value. Dr. Oppolzer charted the 1932 eclipse, but dated the next total eclipse in the year 1997—rather a long wait for anyone having reached his or her majority in 1932.

A few years ago, however, experts connected with the U. S. Nautical Almanac rechecked the famous Austrian's figures, and certain errors in his calculations placed the next event in the year 1963.

Writers for N. E. A. Service in the American Republic describe the 1932 eclipse in part as follows:

The 1932 eclipse will begin at sunrise on the Arctic Ocean. It will sweep northward to within a few hundred miles of the North Pole, then swing southeast across northern Canada, Hudson Bay, province of Quebec, enter the United States over northwestern Vermont, New Hampshire and southeastern Massachusetts. Then it will pass out over the Atlantic and end in midocean at sunset.

The largest city in the path of totality—that narrow belt where the sky is completely blackened—is Montreal. Just outside the edge of the path is Boston, where the eclipse will be almost total; in New York, the sun will be 95 per cent obscured. Other cities, depending on their location, will see varying degrees of obscurity of the sun.

The actual period of totality—meaning the moment when the sun is totally obscured at a given place—is just 100 seconds. Therefore, scientists must work fast.

But for nearly an hour before and an hour after the maximum of the eclipse is reached, there is a period resembling twilight. For example, at Portland, Maine—where the eclipse will begin at 2:21 p. m., will reach its maximum at 3:30 p. m. and will end at 4:34 p. m.

As everybody knows, an eclipse of the sun is caused by the moon getting between the earth and the sun. The moon casts a great, At the point of this shadow the cone-shaped shadow on the earth. eclipse is total; outside that comparatively narrow track it is only partial.

As the moon moves in front of the sun, the disc of the sun disappears from view. First the sun is only partly overlapped, then completely. Two or three minutes before the eclipse becomes total, the moon's shadow comes sweeping over the landscape from the west with great swiftness.

Suddenly the eclipse becomes a total and the whole sky grows dark.

When the moon completely blots out the great orb, a rim of red fire appears around it. This is the upper atmosphere, or chromosphere, are great tongues of crimson fire. Surrounding all this is a silvery halo, called the corona. The corona can be seen only during a total eclipse, and that is why astronomers work so feverishly to observe and photograph it while they can. During the past fifty years, they have had less than a total of 30 minutes in which to do this.

When the last trace of the sun has disappeared (in the belt of totality) and the moon's shadow has engulfed the spectator, the scene is awe-inspiring. Often the temperature drops, sometimes dew falls, strange breezes spring up, seemingly different from the breezes of normal day or night. Flowers close, birds go to rest, animals in the field and woods seek refuge, cattle grow restless and dogs often set up howls.

The sky is only about half as bright as that of a full moon. Often the darkness is so intense that it is impossible to tell the time by a watch. Far off on the horizon an orange afterglow effect is seen; it is the weak sunlight shining on the world outside the path of totality.

Stars appear overhead, the eclipsing moon seems to hang in the heavens like a giant cannon keep it from falling on the earth.

Eclipse Time Table for Various Cities

The time that the eclipse of the sun can be seen in various cities of the United States and Canada on August 31, and the extent to which the sun will be obscured by the moon, is given here. The hour is expressed in local standard time in each case.

	Pct	Time
Portland, Me.	100	3:30
ball, with apparently nothing to		
Montreal	100	3:24
New York	95	3:34
Washington	89	3:35
Cleveland	87	3:27
Cincinnati	80	2:29
St. Louis	71	2:25
Chicago	79	2:25
Kansas City	65	2:19
New Orleans	59	2:43
Denver	49	2:43
San Francisco	15	1:41
Portland, Ore.	33	11:29 a. m.

The rose is believed to be the oldest flower of which there is any record.

A cold geyser which spouts soda water has been discovered in Yellowstone National Park. Playing to a height of about three feet, the water is filled with bubbles, caused by carbon dioxide gas. The water, however, it not flavored.

SALCEDO GIRL SCALDED BY HOT COFFEE MONDAY

Miss Cozette Springs, aged about 19, daughter of Ernest Springs of Salcedo, was painfully scalded early Monday morning, when she accidently overturned a percolator of boiling coffee. Miss Springs was preparing breakfast, when she slipped and fell against the stove, overturning the coffee urn. The hot liquid poured over her right shoulder, down her back and from her shoulder to the elbow of her right arm. Her left hand was also burned.

Immediately following the accident, Dr. G. W. Presnell, local physician, was called to her assistance. According to Dr. Presnell, she is doing as well as can be expected.

Why not try a loaf of cheese bread made of Kraft's best cheese by Welter's Bake Shop.

A deposit of salt in Wielizka in Poland is said to be the largest in the world. The bed of salt rock is 500 miles long, 20 miles wide and 1200 feet thick.

ANOTHER DOLLAR FRISCO EXCURSION SET FOR AUGUST 28

Announcement is being made in this issue of The Standard of another dollar train excursion to St. Louis, leaving Sikeston 3:10 a. m. August 28, and returning from the city at 10:00 p. m. The feature attraction in St. Louis that day will be a National League game between the Cardinals and Brooklyn.

Milan—R. M. Wilson purchased Milan Standard from T. A. Dodge.

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If you ever feel that you are about the end of your rope, that everything seems to go wrong, that you just as leave give up the ghost and take what is coming to you in the hereafter, just make a visit to the Emergency Hospital and see so many people who are so much worse off physically than you are, but who can still give you a wan smile and have hope of soon being mended and live a long life, you will feel ashamed and take a new tuck on life. Patients with fever, bursted appendixes, gun shot wounds, new babies, and all cheerful and hopeful. This is what we encountered Thursday morning and in our heart thanked God for the good health that we are enjoying, for the healing of our own sick, and with the intent to try and be as cheerful and hopeful of the future as the patients in the hospital.

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This has been a trying season on our flower beds that we had looked forward to with pleasure. Six hundred gladiolas, two hundred dahlias, two dozen rose bushes, and altogether have had but few flowers to cheer the sick and gladden the hearts of the well. The dry season, the hot sun, and contemptible insects have blasted all these beautiful shades until few have been fit to cut. We are hoping that from now on the season will be more favorable and the late dahlias and roses will give us flowers for friends.

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Duncan Anderson, of The Independent, a daily of Newport, Ark., paid The Standard a fraternal visit while in Sikeston Wednesday attenidng the Fire Fighters' School of Instructions.

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While the talk of using hand labor for road work in Missouri and extra finances coming from the Government for such work, why wouldn't it be a good time for the Chamber of Commerce, the Lions Club and the City Administration, to take up the matter of paving the spur on North Kingshighway to Highway 61 at the flying field. Unfortunately this section of Scott County failed to receive any farm to market roads therefore will receive no assistance for the unemployed of this section unless this spur can be built. Hope Division 10 located at Sikeston will lend their valuable assistance to this suggestion.

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Something like two million dollars was paid as gate receipts at Los Angeles Olympics, and more than that spent in the city for board, lodging and trimmings. After all Old Depression throughout the land must not be so bad as it is cracked up to be.

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We know very little about mining coal or about the annual wage disputes in mining areas of Kentucky and Illinois, but it is going to be mighty, mighty tough trying to work up sympathy this winter for the "poor starving miners", who, out of work since last March, are thinking seriously of going on a general strike against a compromise basic wage scale of $5.00 per day. And with coal going up all the time.

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The chairman of the Pennsylvania Public Service Commission resigned recently, after Governor Pinchot charged that he banked $185,000 above his salary and traced large payments to a public utility company. Now the governor declares that another member, lately retired, banked $650,000 above his salary during ten years on the commission. It would be unfair to assume that this represents a general condition in the United States, but it fits squarely into the effort of the larger public utility interests to resist fair state and federal regulation, to get control of regulating bodies by friendly appointments, and to cloak excessive charges under inflated capitalization approved by public regulating bodies.—St. Louis Star.

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The reason for the lack of pep in our paragraphs this time is we are feeling and acting our age. Reaction of overwork, sickness, etc., have pretty near got our goat. Some of these days when we are laid away in the pawpaw patch, we'll get away from all this and meet a worse fate.

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The announcement that President Hoover's speech of acceptance would be broadcast in Europe, South Africa and South America looks like a bid for the absentee vote, in order to make some kind of a showing, as the home vote is reported overwhelming against him.

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The Canadian Waterway project is having its own troubles, as it draws its first breath of life. The Senate is going to investigate, on this side of the line, and Premier Tachereau, speaking from Montreal, calls the plan a national crime. Taking the 18th Amendment, the tax on soft drinks, and the opposition to the waterway all together, liquids of various kinds are having a hard time of it.

WHAT HOOVER STANDS FOR

Tersely told, here is the position of President Hoover on national and international questions as outlined in his acceptance speech last Thursday night:

Favors a change in prohibition laws "to remedy present evils".

Opposes cancellation of war debts.

Favors a protective tariff.

Insists on an army and navy strong enough to prevent invasion, but asks "every arms reduction" above that strength.

Recommends federal regulation of interstate power, but opposes federol operation of power plants.

Insists on a balanced federal budget along with reduction in national, State and local governmental expenditures.

Favors farm relief by adjusting and co-ordinating all taxation and opposes subsidies to farmers and stabilizaton operations in "normal times".

Demands sound currency.

Pledges consultation with other nations under Kellogg-Braind pact to promote world peace and promises: "We shall enter no agreements committing us to any future course of action or which call for use of force to preserve peace".

Favors restricted immigration.

Asks for conservation of national resources.

Recommends revision of railway transportation laws.

Wants reform of banking laws.

Wants reorganization of law enforcement agencies, courts and their procedure.

Franklin D. Roosevelt has no quarrel with the rank and file of the Republican party. His fight on leaders like Hoover, Mellon, Grundy and Smoot who have led it so far from the paths that were trod by Abraham Lincoln and Theodore Roosevelt. Founded as a party of opposition to slavery it has been converted into a party of slavery to plundering interests. Millions of Republicans will vote for Roosevelt as their only hope for the emancipation of both party and nation.—Paris Appeal.

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Two North Carolina rattlesnakes let a baby play with them and did not conduct themselves as might be expected under the circumstances. The mother of the infant saved their necks from the destroyer (where is a snake's neck, by the way), and kept them as pets. It was a strange whim, but who can deny that here is a person not devoid of gratitude?

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The President has completed the membership of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation by appointing ex-Senator Pomerene of Ohio and C. A. Miller of Utica, N. Y., which makes four Democrats and three Republicans on the Board. The corporation has made its first State loan for unemployment $3,000,000 to Illinois.

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An Illinois woman dreamed where she could find a ring that she dropped four years ago, went to the place revealed in her dream, and dug up the lost article. The people in New York are not good dreamers. The slumbers of 62 years gave no hint to a woman in that State regarding her lost wedding ring, but a small boy picked it out of a plowed field, in which it had lain for half-century before he was born. Illinois can claim that it has people who know more asleep than the New Yorkers do awake, and New York is in a position to argue that Illinois does not pay enough attention to its plowing, and is short on smart, observant boys.

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The Democratic vote in the recent primary was the largest ever cast in Mississippi County. That is equally true of the Republicans. The Democratic vote increased approximately 700 and the Republican 400 over that of four years ago. Judges and clerks of election found their labors more difficult than ever heretofore. Several years ago counting judges were delayed in giving out the vote because of a large number of constitutional amendment ballots, but that was easy considered with 56 different candidates on the Democratic ballot for Congress and 29 Republicans. The only item which required but little work on the part of the judges and clerks was the ballot for local officers and there were but two candidates on these unopposed. There were 4359 ballots cast, which includes all counted, and not counted for being improperly cast.—Charleston Enterprise-Courier.

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The most popular out-door and indoor pastime just now is killing people in the most heinous and horrible manner. Even relatives and friends kill each other. We don't know what to charge it—whether to blodlust caused by the World War, or to sun-spots or to weak-mindedness caused by the marriage of venerial tainted men and women We are inclined to the last named as the main cause for this horrible butchery. The first pages of the big dailies look like a daily report from the morgue and bulletin from the red-light district. About five-eighths of the articles are accounts of some loathsome tragedy or crime. Some 500 years from now society will become that well educated and civilized, it will PREVENT instead of PUNISH the crime. The law will be enforced to unsex all unworthy to be parents of sound and healthy children. Criminals will be unsexed and the infernal breed will be stopped. We haven't sense enough yet to do that, but we are learning slowly—but damped slowly. We have gotten as far as breeding up horses, hogs and cattle—even dogs at the point where we will improve—so we may be expected to arrive the HUMAN stock in another 500 years. And we boast of our civilization! Aren't we the dummies? —Dexter Statesman.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

A Correction

In reply to the editorial found on the first page, at the end of the first column of The Standard, Tuesday, August 9, I beg to agree with Art and admit that the depression hit the Police Judge three years back, but the remainder is one of the grossest misstatements of facts I ever knew Art to make. First, the case he refers to was not a police case. Second, there was no one by the name of Eckles connected. I heard there was an undertaker somewhere in Pennsylvania who was interested in prosecuting Groel, but he was not interested enough to appear in person or by agent or attorney with the evidence.

Third, this case was not filed in a Police Court, but was filed in a Justice Court, and there was not a syllable of evidence introduced in court, as the prosecuting attorney, after examining the evidence, found that there had been nothing but a misdemeanor committed, and the defendant's attorney advised him to plead guilty to that. The Justice of the Peace fee in this case is $2.30. The Constable fee $19.60.

Fourth, you are wrong, Art, as to homefolks becoming disgusted with homefolks being prosecuted and fined or sent to jail. The fellow that is fined objects to this procedure, of course, but the citizens give me the most criticism to my face for allowing offenders at home to go their way on stay of execution as some are now doing.

Going back to the question of fees, I will admit I am quite a fee hound, as my Police Judge's report of fines and penalties for July shows I received nine dollars in fees for the month. Art, you are a good boy and I like you and am not peeved at you, but do be more careful in the future. Don't allow your mind to take the wrong tangent. I know you did not make these misstatements on purpose, and you have not injured anyone, but be careful in the future. I was once a young man, very energetic and zealous, and made many mistakes before I was fully feathered. I was like any gosline while still wearing my pin feathers, I thought I was fully matured and capable of coping with most any difficult situation, to my sorrow.

I have been criticsed severely by all kinds of people possessed with as many different minds as there are people. I have contemplated taking the advice of all, but upon due consideration I have decided to use part of all and depend on my own judgment. I have been able to please all part of the time and some all the time, but I can't please all all of the time. I hope this will be sufficient in informing all as to the true status of the case in question.

JOS. W. MYERS,
Police Judge.

The Weekly Newspaper

Since the days of Benjamin Franklin no bit of literature has visited so many rural homes as the weekly newspaper.

For generations it was regarded by its avid readers as the symposium of all worthwhile news, and its editorial page expressed views on current topics that were generally accepted as crystalized public opinion.

Editors of these publications have, with few exceptions, been men and women of high moral character and sharp intellect.

Above all, they have possessed uncanny knowledge of human nature.

They correctly opine that an occasional paucity of editorial thought is easily compensated by a plentitude of comment on personal happenings among their clientele.

To see it chronicled in the local paper that Mary Jones was a visitor in Smithville on a certain day arouses more personal interest in the Jones family than did the recent assassination of the president of France.

Country editors know that in satisfied personal pride and vanity resides much of the popularity of the weekly press.

But the weekly newspaper has and performs a higher mission. Its editor lives in close social and intellectual communion with the people he serves.

This intimate contract enables him correctly to anticipate and appraise public sentiment and to direct and mould that sentiment in its incipiency in the right direction.

This is an opportunity and responsibility wheih only good men and good women should have.

While rural mail delivery has given wider circulation to daily papers and the radio carries intelligence to the uttermost parts of the globe, the home paper, whether weekly or bi-weekly, still has a welcome and an influence in the average country home.

It typifies and represents that sincere personal interest one feels in people and things around him, a moral and mental attitude upon which Christianity and civilization are founded.—Knoxville Journal.

At this particular time, it may be appropriate to reprint a sentence written long ago by Pope: "I never knew a man in my life who could not bear another's misfortunes like a Christian".

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The economy gun has been fired and its echoes are beginning to come back. Some Ohio folks are unreasonable enough to object to having their mail delivered by freight train.

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The participants in a recent marriage celebration had the ceremony recorded on a phonograph disk. When asked at the golden wedding anniversary, if they have ever quarreled, they may be able to turn the question by stating diplomatically that they are proud of their unbroken record.

They Say—Says The Man About Town

By ART L. WALLHAUSEN

Said The Man About Town: "Wouldn't you like to write my column this week, Kingsbury?"

And I, having never gotten over the thrill of seeing my own words in print, replied: "I'd love it". All of which should confirm the prevailing impression that anyone who has anything to do with a newspaper must be slightly queer for goodness knows I should have learned by this time that writing a column is like making love—something that requires constant practice. And here it is more than a year since I pounded out my last column, and I, who loath work voluntarily, take on this task.

But honestly, after being away from Sikeston five years, I was so glad to get back that I just couldn't resist the opportunity of saying so.

I remember quite well the first Saturday night I was in Sikeston. Sitting in a car parked on Front Street, watching the crowds struggle along, I remarked that Sikeston certainly looked like a mighty good town to me. And I was told by the owner of the car that if I ever wore out a pair of shoes in Sikeston I would always want to come back. I certainly find that true. In the five years since I left The Standard I've covered lots of territory, but nowhere have I ever found a town that for its size seemed half so good as Sikeston.

Somehow there seems to be a spirit of fellowship here that does not exist in the ordinary community of this size. The people are friendlier, they are more natural and they are more progressive.

Perhaps that is why Sikeston has gone ahead even during the Depression while other towns have stood still or gone backwards. I sometimes wonder if those of you who have stayed in Sikeston these last five years really realize the progress you have made?

To me it is very noticeable. Beginning with the concrete highway which now sweeps around the town and highway sixty which cuts through the middle. How those highways have changed things. More traffic, more people coming through and stopping have brought new filling stations and new restaurants and along with that the new highway building with its garages.

Then just to note a few of the things I have seen: The new post office, the new store fronts of Front Street, the addition to the high school building, the paving of Kingshighway and the Municipal Power Plant.

And this latter I believe one of the wisest and most beneficial steps Sikeston has ever taken. Having seen several successfully operated municipally owned plants, I was forcefully impressed with the efficiency of their operation, the cheapness of the rates they charged and the part they played in helping to carry the burden of the city's finances.

Sikeston's business seems to have gone right ahead. There are more business firms, the stores seems more up-to-date and enterprising. And now let's get to the bottom of it all. What is the reason? Well, they always used to tell us at the School of Journalism that a town is no better than its newspaper. The Standard I find to be bigger and better than ever (possibly because of my leaving) therefore does it not follow that it has led the way? Think back and you will recall that every worthwhile improvement this town has made has been helped along and sponsored by The Standard. Certainly, it has been a valuable contributing factor in the town's progress, regardless of what other factors may have entered in.

It's been nice to get back and visit with old friends and find that the latch string still hangs out—and it's been very considerate of Art to run the risk of losing his following to permit me to say these rambling and inadequate but well meant expressions.

And I hope I won't have to wait five years until I get back.

P. S.: And we who week in and week out attempt to fill this column of white space with something beside stark, staring madness, join in the hope that Prof. will come back soon and often.

You should not miss that new sign which graces a door near the Galloway fountain. Sez it:
"STOPURBELLYAKIN"

HOW TO PREVENT UNPLEASANT AFTER EFFECTS OF VACATION

Outings are having their innings.

Comes the time when almost every Sunday is the signal for a general exodus to the country. The family and a picnic lunch are packed in the automobile, and we're off for a quantity of fun, fresh air, healthful exercise—and chigger bites.

But sometimes, says the Tuberculosis and Health Society, disastrous after effects completely nullify any enjoyment the outing may have provided; needlessly, too, for the application of a little forethought could prevent those ailments which spoil a good time. Perhaps it would be a good idea to clip the following list of suggestions and paste them in your lunch hamper:

SUNBURN: Don't try to get a "million dollar tan" in one day. Sunshine is healthful, but severe sunburn is dangerous. If the skin begins to smart, apply some soothing lotion immediately. If fever starts, call a doctor.

FOOD: Cooked foods, especially fish and custards, left standing a long period without refrigeration, can cause food poisoning. Avoid strange combinations. For instance, cucumbers, frankfurters, lemonade and ice cream, when eaten at the same meal, seldom permit one to contribute to the gayety of the afternoon.

MILK AND WATER: If possibl, carry wih you a sufficient quantity of water for drinking and washing dishes. Do not drink from creeks or streams, regardless of how pure they look. If you must use water of unknown purity, boil it first. Germs which cause typhoid and other diseases are milk and water borne. It is better to use canned milk than unpasteurized milk. Ask your doctor or health officer about typhoid immunization.

MOSQUITOES: Mosquitoes carry malaria germs. Do not camp or picnic in low, marshy places where mosquitoes are apt to breed. Camps should be screened. Quinine will prevent malaria. Ask your doctor about proper dosage.

FIRST AID: Make a small first aid kit a part of your picnic equipment. It can contain a bottle of good antiseptic for insect bites and cuts, some bandages, adhesive tape, ointment or salve for burns, and something for headaches and for indigestion. Your drug store can probably supply you with a booklet on first aid giving instructions for sunstroke, shock, burns, etc.

The Athison (Kansas) Globe apologizes for stating that a fellow editor was 88 instead of 78. No apology was necessary. Running a paper adds ten years to anyone's age.

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Mr. MacDonald of England, and President de Valera of the Irish Free State, part without coming to an agreement about the tariff. No well-regulated country should be deprived of a tariff dispute. The Irish and the English have no reason to be discouraged.

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St. Charles—Huge dam to be constructed near here.

The man who picks up the present-day map of Europe, with the map of his school days in mind, is forced to the conclusion that something has happened over there. There must have been a corresponding upheaval in this country, not noted in the press. Twenty-seven States are said to be safe for Mr. Hoover, twenty-four for Mr. Roosevelt, and eighteen doubtful.

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At the Olympian games in Los Angeles, a Brazilian team mauled a Hungarian referee who ruled them out and gave the match to the Germans, and American spectators booed the Hungarian referee. The occurrence constitutes an interesting, small-scale laboratory experiment in international affairs. If all parties had been Americans, a pop-bottle or two would have been thrown, someone would have yelled "Crooked work", and the matter would have been forgotten by sundown. As it is, several separate national prides have been hurt. The Brazilians probably are sore, not at a mere opponent, but at the "damned Dutch", and the Germans no doubt observed that Americans as such, and not as simple spectators, had it in for a Hungarian referee. If all the incidents that led up to the World War had happened in one country, a dozen men or so would have received prison sentences, there would have been a change of ministry, perhaps a king would have had to step down, and the rest of the world would have been concerned only as readers of current topics.

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BIRD FLIGHT

Among untrained birds the robin is one of the few that really seem to be going some place. That carrier pigeons know their business has been attested many times, notably during the Great War.

Birds in migration follow a definite course. However erratic they may appear at other times, they settle down to business when it comes time to change homes. At the end of summer the terns fly from the Arctic region virtually to the South Pole, and scarcely deviate from a direct line in the 10,000 miles.

Birds do many 'crazy' things. Moths and bats are not the only flying things that fly into a light. A surprising number of the night fliers are killed by impact with lighthouses. The beacon of safety for a man seems to spell disaster for the feathered night migrant. More birds travel at night day by day, and they are generally of a different class—thrushes, warblers, vireos, etc.—the more timid birds, generally speaking.

Birds differ greatly in method and rate of flight. Contrast a bat and an eagle; the former cannot rise from a perfectly level surface; the latter can push off from any place, at any angle, with astounding clerity, and rise to a height of 6000 feet. A few other birds, notably the lark and crow, travel at an altitude of five or six thousand feet, but ordinarily birds stay within 1000 feet of the earth. A hawk will stand absolutely still in the air sizing up the situation, then suddenly shoot away at marvelous speed. Some ducks are capable of great speed—the bluewinged teal and the canvasback sometimes exceed 130 miles an hour; but ordinarily they loaf along and adapt their action to the needs of the hour.

For combination of speed and grace, swallows are hard to surpass. I read of one's flight from Antwerp to Compiegne. The distance of 140 miles was acomplished in 68 minutes.

The hawk is a king of flight. With the power to fly 200 miles an hour, the sight to spy an object at twenty times the distance possible for the strongest human eyes, the muscular power to lift and carry a large rabbit, and the courage to execute his designs, a hawk is a formidable yet an admirable bird.

Experiments have shown that a carrier pigeon's flight when sailing with a moderate wind is 1540 yards a minute as compared to 1200 in calm weather. With a strong wind its speed is nearly doubled, or about 2000 yards a minute.

The wing of most birds is so constructed that, near the tip, each feather forms a slot for the feather behind it and thus we have a very efficient arrangement for low speeds. Possibly, without this system, birds would be unable to perform the low-speed, spot landings at which they are so adept.—Animal Life.

Jeff Potlocks says the free samples of flea remedy he got from the powder agent, did wonders for his hound dogs, but didn't hlep the children much.—Commercial Appeal.

The new dentist at Bounding Billows bids fair to do a big business, as he announces painless work, and that with each patient he will leave no tooth unturned until he finds the one that hurts.—Commercial Appeal.

How One Woman Lost 20 Pounds Of Fat

Lost Her Prominent Hips—Double Chin—Sluggishness

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If you're fat—first remove the cause!

Take one-half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water in the morning. To hasten results go light on fatty meats, potatoes, cream and pastries—in 3 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.

Notice also that you have gained—in energy—your skin is clearer—you feel younger in body—Kruschen will give any fat person a joyous surprise.

But be sure it's Kruschen—your health comes first—and SAFETY first is the Kruschen promise.

Get a bottle of Kruschen Salts from White's Drug Store—or any leading druggist anywhere in America (lasts 4 weeks) and the cost is but a triffle. -4

"FREE: A Dollar Bill"

This is an old story to newspaper men, but it bears retelling now.

It is about a merchant who did not believe in advertising, because he thought no one read advertising. So the editor of his weekly newspaper suggested a test.

"You write an ad with a lot of copy in it", was the newspaper man's challenge, "and somewhere buried in the copy, offer to give a dollar bill to everyone who reads the ad and brings it in. If you'll do that, I'll run your ad free just to prove that people read advertising".

In spite of the warnings of the newspaper editor, the merchant accepted the challenge. The ad contained so many words that it had to be set in type even smaller than that in the regular news columns. But buried away down in the ad was this offer, "To everyone who brings in this ad, we will give a one dollar bill". That was all that was said about the dollar.

The paper hadn't been distributed an hour before hte store was jammed with people waving copies of the ad. The experiment cost the merchant almost $1000, but it proved to him, as nothing else ever had, that subscribers to his local weekly read it from cover to cover.

If you don't believe people read advertising in the best read advertising publication in the world, the small city weekly, just try this experiment. But first make certain that your bank account will stand the strain. Or, even better, suggest that the bank cashier make his headquarters in your store for the day, for there will probably be more money changing hands there than in the bank.

Saturday Specials

Close out of all Summer Dresses

All 50c Voile Dresses 35c
All $1.00 Voile Dresses 69c
All $1.98 Voile Dresses $1.29

PETERS INTERNATIONAL ALL LEATHER SHOES

Close out on all ladies small sizes, 3 1-2 to 5, regular $3.50 to $5.00 shoes.
Saturday Special—
98c to $1.98

Men's Oxfords with solid leather outer and inner soles $1.98
BOYS' SPORT OXFORDS . . 79c

Special close out prices on men's and ladies summer hats.

Men's and boys white and striped pants, pair 75c

Ladies, before you purchase your fall dresses, do not fail to see our new line.

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HUNTING IN CANADA

WIDE VARIETY OF BIG AND SMALL GAME

HUNTING GROUNDS EASILY REACHED



SEASONS OF GENEROUS LENGTH

DURING recent years there has been an exceptional increase in the number of people of this country who enjoy the sport of hunting. It is estimated that approximately nine million, or about one in fourteen, of our population go afield yearly, with rifle or shotgun. Many of these hunters are now turning their attention to Canada, with its wide range of game animals and birds. No other section of the world can offer to the sportsman the same favourable conditions as prevail in Canada with its immense areas of virgin territory within rapid and comfortable means of access.

Vast Hunting Areas

Canada possesses over 1,000,000 square miles of forest, which shelters game animals ranging from the timid rabbit to the huge and dangerous grizzly bear. Moose, caribou, elk, deer, bighorn sheep, mountain goat, timber wolf and bear are plentiful and may be hunted during open seasons of generous length.

Wild Fowl Abundant

The uncounted lakes and ponds of northern Canada are the breeding places of the main waterfowl population of the American continent, consequently ducks, geese and other waterfowl are plentiful, in normal years. The ruffled grouse or partridge is the most important upland bird and is common to every province, while woodcock, prairie chicken, Hungarian partridge and ptarmigan provide good sport in certain districts.

Hunting Grounds Easy of Access

Accessibility is an outstanding feature of much of Canada's hunting territory. That country is well served by roads, railways and steamboat lines, over which the sportsman may travel in comfort, to the "going in" point. Areas previously inaccessible may also now be reached by airplane in a few hours' flight. Detraining or "going in" points are numerous throughout game areas and at these will be found reliable outfitters and qualified guides, who are prepared to look after the sportsman's every need and guidance while in the hunting territory. In several of the provinces of Canada it is compulsory for the hunter to be accompanied by a guide but, even in those provinces where it is not compulsory, it is often advisable to engage guides. These men, being familiar with the territory in which they operate, are able to add greatly to the enjoyment and success of the trip.

Conservation of Game

In Canada a practical form of conservation is found in the setting aside of tracts of public lands, as game reserves, and in the rigid protection of game in its extensive national and provincial parks. In these areas the game multiplies rapidly, under protection, and spreads over into the surrounding country. This favourable condition, coupled with sound protective legislation regulating the open seasons, bag limits, issuing of licences, etc., assures continuance of a supply of game animals and birds in their native habitat. Canada is thus able to offer the hunter exceptional opportunities for sport in season.

Hunting with Camera

To the camera-hunter and the student of wild life, Canada offers unusual opportunities for interesting experiences and records. There is no closed season on game, to the camera-hunter and, throughout the year, he will find favourable conditions to study the habits of game animals and birds and to photograph them in their natural surroundings.

Game Laws of the Provinces

The game laws of the different provinces of Canada are drafted by the provincial Governments with a view to meeting local conditions; consequently there is no uniform game law for the Dominion as a whole. As these game laws are subject to revision from year to year, persons contemplating a hunting trip to Canada are advised to obtain copies of the current game laws and regulations of the province they intend to visit, before making definite arrangements.

The National Development Bureau of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa will gladly supply information on hunting in Canada, by either complying with requests or referring same to other sources from which the particulars desired may be obtained.

Personals

J. F. Cox and Ralph Harper went to Anna, Ill., Thursday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Campbell and Clint Campbell were in New Madrid, Wednesday.

Mrs. Nood Mainord and daughter of St. Louis are visiting Mrs. Lyman Gross and family.

Mrs. Sam Gaston and children returned last Sunday night from a visit with relatives in Iowa.

Mrs. Harry Blanton and children returned Wednesday, after spending the summer at Bay City, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagner and children will leave Saturday for a visit of several days with relatives at Fairbury and Weston, Ill.

Mrs. Tom Baker and children left yesterday (Thursday) morning for a two weeks' visit with relatives at Princeville and Monmouth, Ill.

Mrs. W. M. Swinney and daughter, Miss Gladys, expect to leave Monday for a week's visit with relatives and friends at Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. E. J. Keith and daughter, Helen Virginia, left Tuesday morning for a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Norman Gocke at East St. Louis, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Swanner, Ernest Tongate, Jr., Miss Beulah Swanner and Mrs. Ella Frissell and Charles Frissell of Cape Girardeau spent last Sunday at Big Springs.

Mrs. Maggie Lillard, Miss Cathie Wright, Mrs. Nell Davis, Mrs. Myra McConnell and Mrs. Annie Winchester of Arlington, Ky., spent Monday in Sikeston visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. R. Lewis and daughter, Roberta, of White Fish Bay, Wis., and Mrs. Frank B. Clarkson of University City, returned to St. Louis last Sunday, after spending two weeks visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Converse.

On Wednesday afternoon the W. C. T. U. held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Sikes, with 14 members present. At this time delegates were elected to attend the Scott County W. C. T. U. Institute to be held at Blodgett, August 25. Those elected were: Mesdames J. H. Kready, M. J. Thomas, J. A. O'Hara, Frank Carter, S. E. Reed, J. W. Baker, Sr., Lizzie Ferrell and E. J. Malone, Sr. All other members of the local Union are cordially invited to attend. The meeting will begin at 10 o'clock and will be held in the Methodist church. The September meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Kready and at that time election of new officers will be held.

Mrs. Ace Edwards is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Converse visited in Jackson last Sunday.

Miss Daisy Garden has been on the sick list the past few days.

Charles Jenkins of Nashville, Tenn., spent several days of last week here, as the guest of Billie Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hitchcock and children and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Edwards and daughter spent last week-end at Big Springs.

Mrs. F. E. Mount and children, Willard, Misses Lucille and Carrie Nell, spent last week-end visiting with relatives at Vienna, Ill.

The W. B. A. Friendship Circle will meet this afternoon (Friday) at 2:30 in Malone Park. All members of the Circle are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hitchcock and son, Lindel, and daughter, Mary Ann, were business visitors in Cape Girardeau, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sanders and daughters of Poplar Bluff spent Sunday in Sikeston with Mrs. Sanders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Proffer.

Mrs. Nellie Carricoe and son, Claude of Graves County, Ky., were guests of the former's brother, Joe Marshall and family of near McMullin, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lon Swanner has been suffering from a carbuncle on the right side of her face just above the temple. She was thought to be some better Thursday morning.

Mrs. Blanche Wedel and sons Robert and George, who have been visiting their son and brother, Ray Wedel, expect to leave this morning for their home at Paducah, Ky.

Mrs. Wm. Carson, Mrs. A. B. Proffer and daughter, Mrs. Joe Smith and small son of Oak Ridge spent Tuesday afternoon in Dexter visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Nellie Carricoe and son, Claude, of Graves County, Ky., who had been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. W. L. Carroll and husband, and other relatives of this city, returned to their home, Thursday.

The following relatives visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wedel from last Saturday until Monday: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rowell, Mrs. Rall Shaw and Ray Gould, Lawrenceville, Ill., Anthony Lahr, Allison Prairie, Ill.; Dr. Frank Wedel, Melvin Sickling, Elmer Rector and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiesner, Terre Haute, Ind., and John Wedel of Paducah, Ky. Sunday all attended the funeral of Mrs. T. C. Higgins at Dudley. Mrs. Blanche Wedel and sons, Robert and George, who are visiting Mr. Wedel and wife, also attended the funeral. Mrs. Higgins, who had lived at Dudley for the past twenty years, died last Friday, at the age of 74 years. Burial took place at Dexter Sunday afternoon.

You can now get Welter's home-baked bread sliced at the Welter Bake Shop or your independent home-owned grocer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Schroff and children left Tuesday morning for Lebron, Pa., for a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Schroff's father, Mr. Erdmann, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Clay of Mexico are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawrence. Miss Lynnette Stalleup, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clay for the past several weeks, accompanied them here.

Murray Jones of St. Louis, who has been visiitng relatives in this city the past few days, returned to the city Wednesday. Mrs. Jones remained here for a longer visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. Putnam and Miss Lillian Putnam.

Mrs. John Inman is in receipt of a message from her sister, Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Ulin, Ill., informing her of the birth of a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips on August 15. Mrs. Phillips will be rembered here as Miss Julia Williams.

Mrs. C. N. Harrell and children, Miss Geneva and C. W., of Miami, Okla., arrived Monday afternoon for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schroff. Miss Burdeen Schroff, who had been visiting Mrs. Harrell for the past several months, accompanied them here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ellis and son of St. Louis came Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Ellis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sitzes. Mr. Ellis returned to the city Tuesday, while Mrs. Ellis and son remained for a two weeks' visit. Their daughter has been visiting here for the past month.

Mrs. Will Petty and children, Miss Ruth and Lloyd, and Mrs. Ed Daugherty and daughter, Miss Marguerite, of Plainville, Ind., who had been visiting their cousin, Mrs. J. F. Cox, Sr., and family and other relatives of Sikeston and Dexter for the past several days, returned home Thursday.

Misses Edna and Virginia Mount of this city and Miss Louise Ankershiel of Marston spent the week-end at Paducah, Ky., the guests of Miss Leota Goodloe. Miss Edna Mount and Miss Ankersheil returned to Sikeston Sunday, while Miss Virginia went to Mayfield, Ky., for a visit with Miss Elizabeth Lewis.

About thirty U. W. A. Class members with their husbands and friends were present Tuesday night to enjoy the watermelon feast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cox. Mrs. Cox was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Matthews. A very pleasant social hour was enjoyed at which time several contests were played by those present. The September hostesses will be Mrs. J. A. Sutterfield and Mrs. W. M. Swinney. The meeting will be held at the latter's home on Matthews ave.

J. J. Reiss, dairyman of near Sikeston, is suffering from a severe case of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Si Harper and children of Idaho are expected here today (Thursday) for a visit with relatives and friends.

George Dye, Sr., and son, Frank, were called to Effingham, Ill., Tuesday on account of the serious illness of the former's brother, Adam Eli Dye.

Miss Ina Gipson, who had been at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Ben Morrison, who is a patient in St. Mary's Infirmary, Cairo, returned to Sikeston Sunday.

A letter from Mrs. N. C. Watkins to the editor's family states that as they were returning to their home at Davisville, Crawford County, they were detained by heavy rains which until after dark and near Salem in Dent County they saw a young doe on the road that was blinded by the headlights until they could have caught it if they cared to.

Mrs. Mary Graves, wfie of Adolph Graves, who is employed in the skiving department of the local International Shoe Factory, suffered a painful cut on the forepart of her left arm at about 4:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, when she accidently fell against her machine, thrusting her arm against the skiving knife. Immediately following the accident she was brought to the Emergency Hospital for treatment. Her condition is said to be satisfactory, although she was unable to return to work Thursday morning.

Now all is peaceful behind the walls of the ancient Castle of Moedling, and we suppose Cadet William J. Glasgow of West Point, who danced with the princess during her tour of the U. S. A., who watched the Hudson in the moonlight with the princess, and who later received a note inviting him to lunch in Tuxedo, N. Y., is again doing his squads east and west.

Glassware exported from Guadalajara, Mexico, to the United States is packed in cradles made of wicker and filled with a split rush.

A soft, but rough-surfaced three-quarter wool coat of strawberry ice cream pink has an attached scarf of warm brown wool jersey.

When the lacquered ware becomes stained try rubbing the spots with a cloth dampened with salad oil. It will usually do the trick.

Slim Pickens says he learns something every day. He went to the photographer at Bounding Billows last week and had his picture taken. During the excitement of sitting down in the chair and lifting his chin to the proper place, the photographer disappeared, and Slim believed he had left the room, only to find out later that he was peeping at him from ambush under a large black cloth behind the camera.

EGGS 40 PER CENT ABOVE PRICE OF FEEDS

Eggs are now cheap in cents per dozen, but not so cheap compared to the price of feeds.

Eggs in June, 1932, sold for approximately 60 per cent of the average price for the Junes of 1910 to 1914. Corn in June, 1932 sold for approximately 44 per cent of June, 1910 to 1914 prices. Eggs are therefore relatively 40 per cent higher than corn.

Therefore it is false economy at this time to neglect the feeding of the farm poultry flock either in the amount or quality of the feed provided. It requires approximately 46 pounds of feed to maintain a hen's body during the year. She can produce eggs only when she receive more than this amount of feed. Thirty pounds additional will enable the hen to produce approximately 10 dozen eggs. To secure satisfactory egg production not only must the feed be provided in sufficient amounts but it must also be properly balanced—that is contains the proper food elements—one of the most essential parts of which is a liberal supply of proteins—milk or meat scrap. Worms, bugs and grasshoppers are an unreliable and inadequate protein supply. Experiment station records show that a hen fed 55 pounds of grain and 18 pounds of mash containing bran, shorts and corn meal, in a year laid 61 eggs. The same ration with 6 pounds of meat scrap added gave a production of 119 eggs per year.

Either of the following fulfill the requirements of a good mash:

Bran, 200 pounds; shorts, 200 pounds; cornmeal, 200 pounds; meat scraps, 150 pounds salt, 7 pounds.

Ground wheat, 200 pounds; finely ground heavy oats, 200 pounds; cornmeal, 200 pounds; meat scraps, 150 pounds; salt, 7 pounds.

Such a mash should be kept available to the hens at all times. In addition to this mash, the hens should be fed grain at the rate of 8 or 10 pounds per 100 hens per day. Yellow corn, or equal parts yellow corn and wheat are an excellent grain ration. When plenty of skim milk is available and the hens are given access to the milk and are not permitted access to water, grain and milk alone will make a well balanced ration. This will require 4 or 5 gallons of milk daily for each 100 hens. Under other conditions plenty of fresh drinking water should be supplied. Further information on this subject may be secured by writing the County Extension Agent's office.

IN MEMORIUM

In loving memory of our dear husband, father, brother and grandfather, James S. Cutrell, who departed this life one year ago August 20, 1931:

Loely are our hearts today,
For the one we loved so dearly
Has forever been called away,
Loving and kind in all his ways,
Upright and just to the end of his days,
His memory is as dear today,
As in the hour he passed away,
Sincere and true in his heart and mind,
Beautiful memories he left behind.
Sadly missed by
Wife, Children, Brother and Grandchildren

Excelsior Springs—Dirt roads in city improved.

Keytesville—Sinclair Service Station, Main Street, painted.

After washing the bath tub be sure to rinse it thoroughly so it will not be slippery with soapsuds when the next person takes a bath.

With the Churches

Sikeston Churches Urge You to Attend All Services

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:30 Jack Johnson, Superintendent.

Morning Worship—10:40 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Our Largest Giver".

Evening services at 8 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Good News for the People of Sikeston".

There will be special music at the evening hour.

B. Y. P. U.—7:00 o'clock.

Wednesday evening: Officers and teachers meeting, 7:00 o'clock, prayer meeting at 8:00 o'clock.

LESLIE GARRISON, Pastor

Other Church News

The Dorcas class will hold its regular social meeting Monday night, August 22, at the home of Mrs. Leslie Garrison on Kathleen Avenue. At this time the "Capsule Friends" will be revealed, and also the nominating committee will give their report. It is hoped that all members of the class will attend this meeting.

Last Sunday night, Rev. and Mrs. Garrison closed a two weeks' revival meeting at the Baptist church in Oran. They report 20 additions to the church. Rev. S. E. Howard is pastor of the Oran church.

NAZARENE CHURCH

Sunday school 9:30. George Porter, Superintendent.

Preaching Service—11:00. Sermon hour in charge of Miss Rose Hurst.

Preaching—7:30. Sermon by Herbert Finney.

6.30—The Young Peoples' Meeting.

Mid-week prayer meeting on Thursday evening, 7:30 at the church.

Cottage prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Sunday school at the Chaney school—2:30. Herbert Finney, superintendent.

Sunday school at Tanner school—10 o'clock. Harold Ray, superintendent.

Sunday school, brick school house east of Salcedo, at 10:00 a. m. Jeff King, superintendent.

J. A. DUNCAN, Pastor.

The revival meeting being conducted at the Fairview school, south of Sikeston, still continues with good interest and large crowds present each evening. Bro. Herbert Finney preached Tuesday night and again had charge of the services last night (Thursday). Mrs. Herbert Finney is pianist. It is thought that the meeting will continue for another week. All are invited to attend these services.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday school and Bible Class—10 o'clock.

Regular services—10:30.

All are welcome.

E. H. KOERBER, Pastor

METHODIST CHURCH

9:00—Worship services and sermon.

Sermon message by the pastor. Subject: "The Church and the Children". Last Sunday morning we discussed "Christ and the Children".

Followed by meeting of Classes and departments.

Evening services—7:30.

The service and program by the Young People. General subject: "The Influence of the Bible".

Leaders: Robert Dempster, Misses Virginia McCary and Ruth Bayer.

The attendance last Sunday was greatly increased over the Sunday before. Worship with us in the early morning hour.

J. F. E. BATES, Pastor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school—9:30.

Morning service—10:45. In charge of the Session.

Christian Endeavor—7:00.

Evening worship 8:00 o'clock.

Rev. Schwegler, pastor of the New Madrid Presbyterian church, will deliver the sermon. Rev. Schwegler will have charge of the evening services of the local church on each third Sunday evening of the month beginning this week.

Prayer meeting—8 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Choir practice—8:00 Friday evening.

TANNER CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Lem Council with his assistants, Rev. Lawrence Ray and Clyde Meredith, are having much success in the revival meeting which began in the Tanner school house Sunday night, August 7. Soul-winning sermons are being preached every night to large crowds.

On Friday night a group of young people, members of the Nazarene church in Sikeston were present at the services. Charles Chaney and Walter Givens favored the congregation with special singing.

Services will be continued thru the week of August 14. Rev. Council cordially invites everyone to attend.

HOLD SERVICES FOR TAFT WILSON, AGED VANDUSER FARMER

Taft Wilson of Vanduser, age 68, died Sunday morning, August 14, after a lingering illness.

He was born in Kentucky and resided in that State until 1904, when he moved to Missouri, first living at Morley and later at Vanduser.

Eight children were born to the family, five of whom with his wife, survive, namely, Porter in Stoddard County, Ralph at Vanduser, Coley at Parma, Myrtle at St. Louis and Bertie, who is Mrs. Rube Tindall at Oran. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson had been married forty-six years on Saturday before he died Sunday morning.

Funeral services were held at Vanduser Tuesday afternoon with burial in the Morley cemetery.

MEYERS-MARSHALL WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Charleston, August 16.—Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Herbert Marshall of this city have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Mary Taylor to Mr. Richard F. Meyers of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Meyers of Poplar Bluff. The wedding will be solemnized at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of August 31, at the Marshall home, 311 East Commercial Street.

Chinese casualties during the recent conflict with Japanese troops in Shanghai amounted to 214 officers and 4060 men killed and 688 officers and 1154 men wounded.

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GREEN or BLACK NECTAR TEA 3 LBS. $1.00

Rajah Salad Dressing	QT. JAR	27c
K. C. Baking Powder	25-OZ. CAN	23c
Morton's Salt	2 PKGS.	17c
Lux FOR FINE LAUNDERING	2 PKGS.	17c
Flit	PT. CAN	49c
RADIO SPECIAL Eight O'clock Coffee	LB.	20c
Red Circle Coffee	LB.	23c
Bokar Coffee	LB.	27c

Malaga Grapes	lb.	10c
Oranges, 252 size	doz.	23c
Fresh Peas	3 lbs.	17c
White Onions	3 lbs.	10c

ALL POPULAR BRANDS CIGARETTES 2 PKGS. 25c

PAUL JONES WINGS PKG. 10c

CIGARS 6 FOR 25c

Quality Meats

SMOKED BACON half or whole	lb.	13c
BACON SQUARES	lb.	9c
FRANKFURTERS	lb.	10c
HAMS, SKINNED half or whole	lb.	15c
Sirloin Steak, baby beef		24c
Pork Sausage—its pure		10c
Beef Roast, juicy and tender		14c

Lunch Meats of All Kind

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

(By Ann Latimer)

Mr. and Mrs. Wynn Smith of Tiptonville, Tenn., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goodin.

Miss Hattie Golightly of Lamar is the guest of Miss Tessie Powell and other friends in this city.

Mrs. Frank Jordan of Oakton, Ky., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hula Salmon, the latter part of the week.

Mrs. W. I. Sidwell and daughter, Miss Almaretta of Cape Girardeau were visitors in this city, Saturday.

Miss Irene Vowels of St. Louis is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vowels in their home near Wyatt. She was a visitor in this city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Criss and daughter, Martha, will leave Wednesday for a visit in Williamsville.

Miss Belle Wigdor has returned from a visit in Clarendon and Hot Springs, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grojean and sons of Sikeston were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Reid, Sunday.

Miss Eva Settle and mother and Miss Celia Doolittle spent Sunday evening in Cairo.

L. S. Dark and son, Freddie, left Tuesday for a visit in Wardell.

Miss Gertrude Renand has returned from a visit in Perryville and St. Louis.

Misses Runalda Featherson and Jessie Viverett and William Henry Campbell and Arnold Clapp of Clinton, Ky., are house guests this week of Miss Louise Lee and her brother, Viverett Lee.

Mrs. Byron Howlett and little son of Monticello, Ark., are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Burke and family were visitors in Morley, Monday.

Sterrett Davis left Sunday for New Madrid, where he will be connected with the government work.

Hilary Lee has returned from the Training Camp at Fort Riley, Kansas.

Miss Erline Huie of East Prairie and Miss Pen Lile Compere have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holderness in St. Louis.

Mrs. Max Friedman and son, Alfred, are visiting in Portageville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Seibert and Jimmie Latimore have returned to their home in St. Louis, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Luke Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parr and Mrs. Browning of Jackson were visitors in this city, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ercell Anderson, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sutherlin have returned to St. Louis.

Harry Lee of Independence, Mo., arrived here Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thompson, Mrs. Claude Thompson, Mrs. Harry Harp, Misses Lorene Thompson and Lucille Harp, Frank Hequembourg, Billy Rytter and Scott Cotrell, Jr., spent the week-end at Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lair and baby of Sikeston were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellie Wilkinson of Oklahoma City, Okla., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Wilkinson, Sr.

Wilbur Davis has returned from a visit in Liberty, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rowe and Mrs. Bailey Wilkinson, Jr., have returned from a visit with relatives at Little Rock, Ark.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rowe of Branley, Calif., who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Swank, has gone to Flint, Mich., to visit her sister, Mrs. Chalmers Copeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hill spent the week-end in St. Louis.

Mrs. Alpha Randolph of Caruthersville is the guest of her brother, Ben Swank.

Miss Julia Margaret Phelps of Caruthersville is the guest of her aunt, Miss Julia Pulliam.

Judge James A. Boone of this city last week underwent an operation at a hospital in South Bend, Ind. His condition is reported favorable. His brother, Dr. John Boone, who resides at South Bend, is attending him at the hospital.

Miss Gwendolyn Kirk is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. L. B. Kornegger in Sikeston.

George Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Roberts, of near this city left Thursday for Sedalia, where he will attend the State Fair. He won a free trip to the Fair by making the highest average in the Boys' State Fair Examination recently held in this city for boys of the County under 16.

Mrs. L. S. Dark and daughter, Jean, have returned from a visit in Hayti, Portageville and Wardell.

Julius Wigdor is spending a few days in Columbia.

Mrs. Emma Chron of Memphis, Tenn., has been the guest this week of her sister, Mrs. E. R. Lash.

Mrs. Ellen Blair of Oakton, Ky., was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crow.

M. H. Wigdor is a visitor in St. Louis this week.

Misses Flora Faust and sister, Miss Kathryn, and Frances Atterberry are spending this week in St. Louis.

Miss Ruth Elizabeth Howlett, who has been the guest of her father, Leonard Howlett, and aunt, Mrs. Frank Thompson, returned to Liberty, Mo., Sunday.

Rev. J. S. Compere D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, will go to Campbell Sunday to assist Rev. J. C. Wicker, pastor of the First Baptist church of that city in a protracted meeting.

Rev. E. Z. Newsom of Illmo, pastor of the Baptist Church, is assisting Rev. A. E. Ray in a protracted meeting being held at New Bethel Baptist church, near this city.

Rev. B. T. Davidson of Chaffee, pastor of the Baptist church of that city is at East Prairie conducting a revival at the Baptist church in that city. Rev. W. A. Huie is pastor of the church at East Prairie.

TURNEY TO LOCATE HISTORIC SPOTS IN SATE OF MISSOURI

Where are the most historic spots in Missouri?

The Missouri Century of Progress Commission has appealed to Floyd Shoemaker, Secretary of the State Historical Society, to compile a list of areas within the State noted in he history of Missouri. The Commission hopes to feature these historic spots in some manner in the Missouri exhibits at the World's Fair next year.

The City of St. Louis is of itself the most historic area in the State, Mr. Shoemaker declared, due to the leadership it assumed in the settlement of the State, the establishment of commerce and industry, and early political leadership.

Within St. Louis or nearby, the following are noted historically: The old Courthouse, begun in October, 1839 and completed in 1862; General U. S. Grant's cabin, where the noted Union leader lived prior to the Civil War; the old cathedral in downtown St. Louis; and Ead's bridge, the gateway of commerce to the west.

Ste. Genevieve was selected as one of the historic spots, because it marks the first permanent white settlement west of the Mississippi river.

Westport Landing, now at the edge of Kansas City, is noted as the outfitting post for the Santa Fe and Oregon trails. Old Franklin likewise was an important trading point and outfitting town for the wagon trains.

Lexington marks the old trading post on the Missouri River and the famous battlefield of the Civil War.

Jefferson City is selected as the permanent capital of the State, made so by the first constitutional convention, in 1820.

Columbia is the seat of the oldest State University west of the Mississippi, founded in 1839.

Hannibal is noted as the home of the "best known" of the Missourians, Mark Twain.

St. Joseph as the terminal of the first cross-State railway, the Hannibal and St. Joseph.

Springfield was the town near where was fought the battle of Wilson Creek in the Civil War.

And Kirksville as the home of the first school of Osteopathy.

OPPORTUNT FOR 350 FAMILIES IS GOING BEGGING IN MEMPHIS

Hard as times are reported to be, an opportunity for employment of 350 families has gone begging at the Municipal Employment Bureau since Saturday, Ike Friedman, superintendent, reported yesterday in Memphis, Tenn.

The families now receiving charity aid may be reading the reports of the New York Stock Exchange bull market and expecting prosperity to return overnight, according to Mr. Friedman's report that only slightly more than 12 families accepted the offer Saturday, Monday and yesterday.

The urgent request for workers comes from the Wilford place, near Bassett, Ark., where 50 white families and 300 negro families are needed. Transportation, houses and wood are offered in addition to 60 cents a day cash payment for wood chopped until cotton picking time, when the current rate per 100 pounds will be paid. There are 7000 acres in cotton.

The request was made to both the municipal bureau and the veterans' employment bureau, but so far very few families accept the opportunity to work that Mr. Friedman was forced to call on The Commercial Appeal for aid.

Why not try a loaf of cheese bread made of Kraft's best cheese by Welter's Bake Shop.

Princeton—L. L. Lathrop, east side druggist, installed combination rack and show case.

A Wyoming student, Onel Thosmas, was placed last week by the Chillicohte Business College in an $80-a-month stenographic position with Union Electric, owners of the Bagnell Dam and lake of the Ozarks.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CANALOU

(By Miss Ethel Wright

Miss Oma Lee Emory, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Greer and family for the past week, returned to her home in East Prairie, Sunday.

Miss Esther Gruen, who had been employed as stenographer at Cape Girardeau, returned home Monday. She was accompanied by her sister, Selma, who had been attending summer school.

Jim Castilo visited his parents at Campbell, Saturday.

Misses Ethel Wright and Velma McLaurin shopped in Sikeston last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Spencer and children, Reese and Jany, spent Sunday in Dexter, visiting Mrs. Spencer's sister, Mrs. C. Sherrand and family. Jany remained for a week's visit.

J. F. Sexton and daughter, Carmen, and son, Glen, are visiting relatives in Paducah, Ky., this week.

Benny Hilderbrand, who spent the past week here visiting his uncle, E. H. Percy, returned to his home in Bloomington, Ill., Tuesday.

Mrs. C. W. Harris and children and Miss Debbie Greer were Sunday guests of Mrs. B. H. Sims and family of near Sikeston.

Mrs. Wm. Dwight and daughter, Mrs. Edith Headley of East Chicago, Ind., who had been visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Ruby Asa, returned to their home Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Biggs and son, J. A., Jr., is spending the week with relatives in Blytheville, Ark.

Ott Burnett and little daughter, Billie Sue, returned Sunday from a short visit with relatives near Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coppage and children, Phillip, Rachel and Jas. and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Barnes left Thursday of last week for a week's visit with relatives and friends in Marion and Owensboro, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and children of near Cardwell, came Monday for a short visit with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. C. W. Harris and children and Miss Debbie Greer visited a short time in Lilbourn, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lloyd Poe of Bloomfield was the house guest of Mrs. X. Caverno during the past week. Mrs. Poe taught the Big Ridge school of this district a number of years ago and was then known as Miss Dixie Trisler.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luellen and children of Anniston were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milus R. Davis.

County Superintendent Milus R. Davis has recently announced the August plan meeting will be held at New Madrid Saturday, August 20.

Mrs. Milus R. Davis is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caruthers of near Matthews.

W. M. Moore and son, Wilson and Norval Harrison went to St. Louis Sunday to attend the ball game.

Rev. Bob Burch of Matthews started a revival meeting here last Sunday evening.

The Community Club held its regular meeting at the school house Thursday afternoon. There were twenty-five present on this occasion. After the reguuar business meeting, Miss Ellen Caverno gave a very interesting account of Missouri's Admission to the Union. Miss Appalone Taul gave a reading entitled "Treasurer". After this part of the program, the group went to the school yard, where all took part in playing the game "Traveling Through Missouri". Group singing also made up part of this program. The club is making plans for sponsoring a community fair.

Mrs. J. D. Taul was bitten Saturday morning by a dog that is thought to have had rabies. The dog belonged to her son, Ernest. A few days previous to this time the dog had been noticed to be acting rather queer and so Ernest fastened the dog up. Mrs. Taul had opened the door to feed the dog and he attempted to get out. The dog has always been very ill and when she scolded him he nabbed her in the right arm near the shoulder. She forced the dog loose by closing the door on his head. Serum was wired for immediately and she is now taking shots for same.

There are several silos in this community but only a few have been in use during the past few years. X. Caverno has two silos on his farm and he has been busy during the past few days filling them.

The services that were scheduled to start at the Church of Christ this week were postponed until the middle of September.

YEAST TO COMBAT PELLAGRA THREAT IN KENNETT AREA

Kennett, August 9.—A shipment of yeast has been received here through the American Red Cross to be used in treating a number of cases of pallagra which have been brought to attention of County Physician, Dr. W. E. Davis, of Kennett, during the past few months. The shipment consisted of 60 pounds.

It is believed there are possibly two dozen cases, in more or less developed stage, in the County. Twelve cases were reported to the health unit during the past few days, while Dr Davis said five or six cases were all that had been brought to his attention.

Due to the economic condition some families, it is said, are required of necessity to limit their diet. Pellagra develops, Dr. Davis says, where there is improper diet, and where the persons are undernourished on the kind of food the human body requires.

MRS. BURGER COMMENTS ON WET VICTORIES IN PRIMARIES

Springfield, Mo., August 4.—Missouri's "distressing" wet victories in Tuesday's primaries were explained today by Mrs. Nelle G. Burger, State president of the W. C. T. U., and due chiefly to two causes.

"First", she said, "it was a psychological time for the wets to play up the depression; they deceived the people into believing that to bring back beer, wines and liquors would end the depression and bring back employment. This is the most fallacious argument in the world".

Second, she blamed the election of Congressmen at large. Some of those nominated "couldn't have been named in their own districts", while defeated drys "in their own districts, would have been nominated she believes. The wets, she said she has been informed, "flooded the State with money", while many dry candidate strong in their home district did not have funds for State-wide campaigns.

It's a Funny Old World

Over the hill trailed a man behind a mule drawing a plow. Says the man to the mule:

"Bill, you are a mule, the son of a jackass, and I am a man, made in the image of God. Yet here we work hitched together, year in and year out. I often wonder if you work for me or I for you. Sometimes I think this is a partnership between a mule and a fool. For surely I work as hard as you, if not harder. Plowing here we cover the same distance, but you do it on four legs and I on two. So, mathematicly speaking, I do twice as much work per leg as you do.

"Soon we'll be preparing for a corn crop. When the crop is harvested I give one-third to the landlord for being kind enough to let me use this corner of God's universe. Another third goes to you, and what is left is mine. But while you consume all your third with the exception of a few cobs, I divide my third among seven children, six hens, two ducks and a banker. Bill, you are getting the best of me; it ain't fair for a mule, the son of a jackass, to rob a man—the lord of creation—of his substance. And come to think of it, you only help to cultivate the ground. After that, I cut, shock and husk the corn while you look over the pasture fence and 'hee-haw' at me.

"All fall and part of the winter the whole family, from Granny to the baby, picks cotton to help to raise money to buy a new set of harness and pay interest on the mortgage on you. And, by the way, what do you care about that mortgage? It doesn't worry you any. Not a darn bit. You leave that to me, you ungrateful cuss.

About the only time I am your better is on election day, for I can vote and you can't. But if I get any more out of politics than you do I fail to see where it is".

19 FARM COMMODITIES SHOW INCREASE IN PRICE

In Scott County the average price of corn was 19 cents in June compared to 20 cents in July; for wheat 34 cents against 37 cents for July; oats 18c and 13 for these two months; hogs $2.85 per 100 lbs. in June compared to $4 in July, and eggs 7.5 cents per dozen for June against 9.5 cents for July.

Of 44 farm products 19 advanced in price from June to July 6 were the same and 19 declined. Of grains cowpeas and corn were higher but others were the same or lower. Fruits and vegetables had their seasonal declines, livestock were all higher except that horses and mules were around the same figures in both months; most dairy and poultry products were up; hay varieties were all lower but grass seeds higher. These data are furnished by the Missouri Cooperative Crop Reporting Service.

State average for corn in July was 31 cents per bushel against 30 in June; wheat 38 and 41; oats 18 and 22; hogs $4.35 per 100 lbs. in July compared to State average of $2.75 in June; beef cattle $5.55 against $4.25; veal calves $4.75 and $4.40; sheep $2.45 and $2.20; lambs $4.95 and $4.70; cows $31 per head in July compared to State average of $29 in June; horses $49 for both months mules $68 and $70; chickens avreage 10 cents per lb. in July and 9.8 cents in June; butterfat 12.4 cents for both months; wool 8.0 cents against 3.7 eggs 8.8 cents per dozen in July compared to an average of 7.8 in June.

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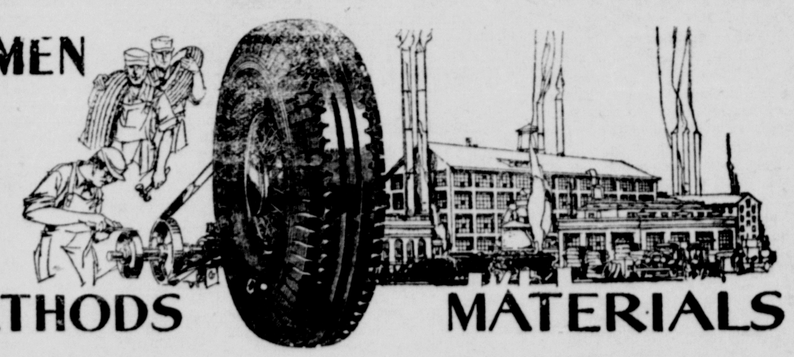
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

(By Mrs. C. A. Stallings)

Herman Little is visiting his cousin, Varnell Raganis, at Jackson this week.

Miss Gladys Ward of Sikeston is a guest of the C. D. Cummins family this week.

Mrs. Lutie P. Leslie has been suffering from neuritis for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White of Sikeston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn, Monday.

H. F. Emerson and Dr. C. D. Harris spent Monday near New Madrid on a fishing trip.

Frank W. Van Horne and Moore Greer of Sikeston were Morley visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Black and daughter, Miss Virginia, were visitors at the C. A. Stallings home, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Bowles and daughter, Virginia, of Sikeston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Ragains and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smiley, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kirkpatrick and H. F. Kirkpatrick visited relatives and friends in Diehlstadt, Sunday.

Miss Leda May Daugherty left Sunday night for St. Louis to visit her sister, Miss Sarah, who is in training at Missouri Baptist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Rafferty and children, Mrs. T. M. Small and children of Charleston visited at the J. W. Cunningham home Sunday while enroute to Chaffee.

Miss Marguerite Anderson was removed last week to the St. Francis Hospital at Cape Girardeau for medical examination and possibly an operation on her hip.

Rev. W. F. Smith of Blodgett preached two good sermons at the Baptist church here Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. W. Jeffries, who is in a revival at Blodgett.

Misses Wilma and Lula Ruth Ragain, with their guests, Miss Thelma Ragains of Jackson and Miss Mary Belle Verhines of Vienna, Ill., were Oran visitors Monday afternoon.

Mrs. H. B. Miller and daughter, Miss Dorothea of Marble Hill and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller of Kalispell, Montana, were dinner guests at the U. G. Ragains home, Sunday.

Harley Emerson, who enlisted in the Navy a few months ago, arrived home from the Great Lakes Naval Station Sunday for a ten-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. A. Emerson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Tomlinson and son have moved to an apartment at the J. E. Smith home and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson and family of Sikeston have moved to the house vacated by the former.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Watson entertained fourteen little girls at at a birthday party for Betty Cathrine Sunday afternoon. The out-of-town guests were Mary Jane and Betty Wayne Cummins of Sikeston and Mary Alma and Esther Timmons of Bugg Ridge.

Miss Marie Esmon entertained with a surprise swimming party for Leonard Vaughn Monday evening in honor of his 14th birthday. The guests included: Dorothy Weber, Dorothy Lee Foster, Mary Lou Ford, Janice Simmons, June Daugherty, Camille Emerson, Mary Agnes Vaughn, J. O. Brashear, Paul Foster, Ward Brashear, Watson Mize and C. D. Cummins. Delicious eats were served by the hostess after the swim.

Miss Wilma Ragains and Mrs. Leonard Ford chaperoned a number of young people at a swimming party and picnic supper at the big dredge ditch Tuesday evening. Those in the party were Misses Mary Alma Harris, Ruth Cunningham, Maxine Daugherty, Thelma Ragains of Jackson, Mary Belle Vehines of Vienna, Ill., Eloise Stallings, Harley Emerson of Great Lakes Training Camp, Jim Mack Emerson, Dorris Ragains, Henry Bugg.

100 DROWN AS SNAKE CAUSES BOAT PANIC

Bombay, August 14.—One big snake caused such a panic on a crowded ferry boat near Kolhapur today the craft capsized and 100 persons were drowned.

The boat was crossing the river with about 120 passengers when it passed a floating tree on which the snake coiled. The snake sprang to the deck of the ferry and started a stampede. The terrified passengers rushed to one side and overturned the boat. Most of the crew and some passengers saved themselves.

SHERIFF READY TO SEIZE FURNITURE FOR TAXES

Cairo, Ill., August 15.—Sheriff Charles Koehler today had a truck ready to bring in household goods ordered seized for delinquent taxes.

The truck carried a large sign, reading: "Dodging taxes, as a rule, is why we have but eight months school".

No furniture had been seized this afternoon.

Yokes feature most of the new dresses and give a more molded effect about the shoulders. Many of the sleeves have their own yokes at the top.

It is to be hoped that Fletcher Henstep will change his mind about moving from our midst. Fletch is one of our most law-abiding citizens, never sues anybody, give them the last chew of tobacco he has and never talks harsh to his wife.—Commercial Appeal.

MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

Cote sans Dessein might have been the capital of Missouri instead of Jefferson City if land speculators had not tried to force its acceptance on the Missouri General Assembly in 1821. But today instead of a great domed capital rising from the midst of a busy city thronged with people there is only vacant river bottom and deserted river banks; every vestige is now gone of the little village which once stood opposite the mouth of the Osage river in what is now Calloway county.

When Jean Batiste Roy of St. Charles moved up the Missouri river in 1808 to found the village which came to be known as Cote sans Dessein, he was establishing what would be for nearly two years the fartherest west settlement in the United States. One hundred and twenty-four years ago this week on August 16, obtained a deed to 600 arpens of land at the "Cote" and the founding of the village was in all probability close to that date.

In their characteristic manner the French gave the long, narrow hill bordering the river for nearly a mile near the site of the village the name of Cote sans Dessein. The name meant literally, "Hill Without Design" and from the hill came the name of the little village nearby. The location of Cote sans Dessein was favorable as a place to carry on the fur trade, for it was not only on the Missouri river, but near the mouth of the Osage.

When Indian depredations swept the Missouri frontiers about the time of the War of 1812, the settlers at Cote sans Dessein, just as the settlers in other localities, built forts for protection. At the 'Cote' two palisaded forts and two blockhouses were erected. The larger of the forts was called Thibault's Fort and it was located near the east end of the hill, and enclosed a blockhouse. Roy's Fort was a smaller one, located about 400 yards below Thibault's Fort. Nearby was the Roy blockhouse, and between the forts was a powder magazine. Here on April 4, 1815, occurred the only "bold attack of the Indians on a fort north of the Missouri" during the War of 1812. On that day Indians were discovered lurking in the woods near the fort. The settlers responded to the alarm by emerging from the forts to fight in the open. Four of the settlers were killed in the ensuing skirmish.

Meanwhile the Indians, finding the forts badly defended, attacked there with fury. Another settler was killed in this attack, leaving only one man, Louis Roy, and the women, defending the Roy blockhouse. With the help of the women, Roy managed to defend the position successfully. Several times the building was set on fire by the Indians, but each time the flames were extinguished by the quick action of the women. The Indians could not be prevented, however, from firing the powder magazine, although as they danced around the flaming building, the powder exploded, killing nearly twenty Indians, it was said. The remaining Indians, terrified at the explosion, abandoned the attack.

In 1811, there were thirteen French families at the "Cote", and in 1815, after the Indian attack, the population was about 200 persons. At least as early as 1816 the town had been platted, and streets laid out. In 1819, travelers by the "Cote" noted "a tavern, a store, a blacksmith shop and a billiard table". The village was situated on an old Spanish land grant. Later, pre-emptioners claimed parts of the grants, and a confusion of titles resulted. Pierre Chouteau and Thomas Hart Benton were among the prominent men who held title to parts of the land near the village.

In 1821 when Missouri was looking for a permanent site for a State capitol, the commissioners appointed to report on locations met at Cote sans Dessein in May, and later gave a report which favored that place as the site. The State Senate favored the Cote site, but the House ,evidently most hostile because a land speculator named Angus L. Langham tried to force the acceptance of Cote sans Dessein, and because of questionable titles to the land, opposed the Callaway County location. The opposition of the House finally prevailed.

The later history of Cote sans Dessein is not well known, but the village still existed as late as 1843. According to Ovid Bell, who has written a history of Cote sans Dessein, the village may have been washed away in the great flood of 1844.

You can now get Welter's home-baked bread sliced at the Welter Bake Shop or your independent home-owned grocer.

Washington Hocks says there wouldn't be near so many auto wrecks if some people would run out of gas before they left home.—Commercial Appeal.

SHOVEL-BILL CAT FURNISHES CAVIAR

A common Missouri fish, the shovel-bill cat, furnishes roe of excellent grade which often is sold commercially as caviar. This fish, according to G. M. Kirby, chief of hatcheries for the Missouri game and fish department, is found in the Missouri and Mississippi rivers and their tributatries, slouhs and overflow waters of Southeast Missouri.

This fish, also known as spoonbill, is of no great importance as a food fish although it is used as human food to some extent. In recent years it has been marketed under the name of boneless catfish. This fish reaches the length of six feet.

ONLY 1 OUT OF 100

By Bruce B. Brewer, Vice Pres., Ferry-Hanly Adv. Co.

As I write this I have before me a big city newspaper having a circulation of 200,000. Here is the advertisement of a grocer in an outlying residential section. Not more than 10,000 families live within trading range of his store. Because the pages are crowded with other ads, probably not more than one out of five of that 10,000 sees it.

Only one of every 100 readers of that big city paper is useful to that merchant! He pays for 99 others—99 out of every 100—which are wasted readers to him. And there are many such advertisements in the paper.

Contrast this with your weekly newspaper. Everyone is a prospect. Everyone is within trading range. Everyone reads every page because on these pages is the most interesting news in all the world: news about people they know.

No city newspaper can compare on a basis of page-to-page readability. No city merchant has the advantage you have, Mr. Merchant, in the advertising columns of your weekly.

I asked the city grocer mentioned above if this advertising is profitable at the high rate he has to pay. At first, he said, it was not, but after using it regularly he finds that it pays. I told him then of the opportunities small city merchants are passing up to use, at low rates, local weekly circulation that is 100 per cent useful, with no waste. He cut loose with criticism of those merchants that was so vigorous and forceful I could not repeat it here without fear of wounding the sensibilities of the readers of this column.

Warsaw—Airport dedication and celebration held here recently.

New Madrid County School Notes

Milus R. Davis

We are sorry to note that several of our schools have been cheated by agents who sell off brand encyclopedias. Boards make a serious mistake in following the advice of agents instead of taking the teacher into confidence and allowing her to investigate before buying.

The "World Book Encyclopedia" and "Compton's Pictured Encyclopedia" have been approved by the State Department of Education as meeting the requirements for general reference work in rural schools and schools should select one of these sets when in need of reference material. If not able to buy a new set, a used set can be obtained for $15 or $20 which is worth far more to a school than these wild cat encyclopedias which are peddled about. Some of these off brand sets are sold for as much as $67 and the serious part about it is that these schools all need much good equipment and are not able to lose a single cent on these wild cat peddlers.

When an agent approaches you, take his price list and investigate before buying. If the proposition proves to be good, you can order a week later just as well. It is much better to look before you leap than to leap and then be sorry afterwards.

In traveling over the county, we find places where $100 or $150 has been spent on almost worthless charts when the schools are sorely in need of usable materials and equipment. The money spent on such stuff would in some cases buy a complete set of new desks for the school.

We were told by a director a few days ago that an agent out of Arkansas offered to "make it interesting" for him if he would succeed in persuading the other members of the board to purchase his wares. When a slick tongue fails, such contemptible agents stoop to all sorts of trickery and misrepresentations to rob our schools of money which is badly needed for legitimate purposes.

Another director informs us that a representative of a so-called reputable textbook company on one occasion offered to furnish his home with a library whereupon the director suggested that if any concessinos were in order that they should be made to the school.

We have no interest in any firm nor company and do not make nor lose one cent regardless of where the schools purchase, but we want the public to know that we stand ready to declare war on any agent or firm that seeks to prey upon or take advantage of our schools and thus cheat the boys and girls out of their rights.

Every cent of school money should be spent for the benefit of our children and not for the profit of some greedy flag pole agent or book peddler. If directors want to waste their individual money, that is their privilege, but the money that belongs to the school children should be held sacred and spent only for their benefit.

The directors of the Hale School, near Canalou, will tell you how an Arkansas agent mopped up on their district, and likewise the Hough District. The Wilburn directors will tell you how an agent by the name of Webb left their school in an embarrassing position.

Think ten days before signing your name on the dotted line.

MISSOURI RETAIL MERCHANTS EXPECT 400 AT POPLAR BLUFF

Poplar Bluff, August 14.—From 400 to 500 visitors are expected August 22-24 for the annual convention of the Missouri Retail Merchants' Association, according to Ben Mengle, president of the local organization. Henry Kiel, St. Louis, and Bennett C. Clark, Bowling Green, candidates for the United States Senate, are on the program for addresses. An invitation also has been extended to E. H. Winter, Jefferson City, and F. M. Wilson, Springfield, candidates for Governor.

C. H. H. Janssen, secretary of the Grocers' Association of the United States, and resident of St. Paul, Minn., is scheduled to deliver the chief address.

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FOR SALE AT ALL FOUNTAINS TODAY

BILL SMITH MARRIES NEW MADRID GIRL

Bill Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith of this city and Miss Virginia Broughton of New Madrid were quietly married just before six o'clock Wednesday evening, August 17, at the home of the New Madrid Catholic minister, with the latter officiating. Miss Libba Hunter, daughter of Hal Hunter of New Madrid, was bridesmaid, and Harrison Tanner of Sikeston, cousin of the groom, was best man.

The bride was charmingly dressed in a blue crepe dress with a drooping rose hat and slippers to match the hat. She carried a huge bouquet of pink roses. Miss Hunter wore a pink lace dress with all pink accessories. While the groom wore white linen.

Bill is a graduate of the local high school and also attended the last semester of Southeast Missouri Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau last term. He is now employed with a construction company at New Madrid. Mrs. Smith would have been a Senior in high school this coming term.

They will make their home in New Madrid.

Those from Sikeston who attended the wedding were the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith [illegible] and daughters, Misses Ella Helen and Laura Jo, Miss Louis Ellen Tanner and Harrison Tanner. Mr. Broughton and Miss Harriet Judge of New Madrid were also present.

FORMER CHARLESTON YOUTH ACTIVE IN PROHI MOVEMENT

Charleston, August 16.—Wallace L. Oliver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Oliver, formerly of this city, but who for the past few years have been residents of St. Louis, has been receiving much honor in St. Louis, due to his activities in the Prohibition Movement. He is chairman of the membership Committee of Allied Forces for Prohibition in the City of St. Louis.

In June, he was sent as a delegate from the Union Avenue Christian Church of that city to attend the National Convention held in Atlantic City, N. J. During the conference he was appointed to deliver the resolutions to President Hoover. He delivered the resolutions over the radio—then later went in person to visit the President and present a copy of the resolutions.

Last Sunday, the pastor of Wagoner Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church was absent from the City and a request was made to the Prohibition Committee for a leader to conduct the services. Mr. Oliver was selected to conduct this service and did it in a most creditable manner, receiving much praise from the leading daily papers of St. Louis. Mr, Oliver states that the predicted income for the Government, would necessitate wholesale drinking.

Mr. Oliver, who is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Caldwell of this city, will not be twenty years of age until the 25th of this month. He graduated from Solden high school, later studied law for two years and is now connected with a prominent law firm in St. Louis. He is noted by the St. Louis papers as a brilliant young law student of St. Louis.

Mrs. Ira Shuffit, who has been seriously ill of typhoid fever, was reported to be better yesterday.

Mrs. John Russell, who is sick at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dye, Sr., was reported to be better Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sharp and family of Memphis, Tenn., came Wednesday for a visit with Mr Sharp's brother, H. G. Sharp and family.

We are glad to report thae Mrs. Ben Morrison, who sustained a serious operation at the St. Mary Infirmary, Cairo, is reported to be doing nicely.

Art Walhausen Sees It

Golf. What crimes are committed in thy name; homes disrupted, friendship broken, business neglected. Men, women and children pay thee homage, lie at thy throne, for the truth lieth not in a golfer.

Golf may be defined as the moronic pastime of men who have other things to do, but who seek excuses to neglect wife, sweetheart, family and business. Men whose eyes swell with tears over the loss of one-half of one per cent during business hours will gladly pay $1.00 each for tiny rubber pills, and from $3.00 up for shiny sticks (during boyhood days a knotted or curved stick and a Pet Milk can sufficed). They will buy trick clothes, and pay membership dues without a qualm of conscience whereas countless go hungry nearby without receiving so much as a thought.

Golf. How many verdant acres are absolutely valueless from the standpoint of feeding goats and cows because of thy hold on humanity?

Not content with spending hours patiently swinging clubs or paying a pro to acquire the proper "stance" once the knack is learned. [illegible] golfing friends are not content unless they play on "sporty" courses. Now a sporty course is one with not less than 654985760 hazards, bunkers, traps, trees, lakes, undergrowth knee high grass ravines, gullies, knols, ridges, naturally or artificially created to impede the normal, easy progress of the ball from tee to cup. The more the better!

Dubs strive for perfection in merely being able to HIT the ball more or less in the general direction, as the crow flies, from tee to cup. A dub carries from three to six clubs.

—and after they reach perfection they are not content unless the course offers no end of hazards to test their skill. After reaching perfection or near perfection our erstwhile dub learns to call for his thirteen to thirty clubs by trick names or numbers. As he acquires skill so does the weight of his golf bag increase.

Golf. In thy name thousands and daily exert sufficient energy to tramp more miles than the B. E. F. drive a battleship thrice around the Horn.

But beating a carpet at home is considered too strenuous.

One cannot reasonably explain golf.

—but I believe I shall call three of the gang for a round this evening!

Why write this column anyway? Those who read it find fault with the writer, take exception to his thoughts, and turn his reputation, if any, seamy side out for inspection.

The Hapsburg family over in Austria has been increased by one 8½-pound boy born to Princess Ileana of Rumania. The daddy is the gadabout who stirred up bushels of trouble by dillying around with a lady of the court.

EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Faris, Monday, a daughter. Motner and daughter doing nicely.

The condition of Mrs. Will Hayden, who has been receiving treatment in the hospital for the past several weeks, is much improved.

Charlie Mitchell, who several days ago accidently shot and mangled his left hand while attempting to shoot rats, is recuperating nicely.

Camille O'Connor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude O'Connor, underwent a successful operation for appendicitis Monday morning. Her condition is satisfactory.

Mrs. Glen Gentry of near Sikeston, who underwent a major operation Wednesday night, was reported to be resting Thursday afternoon.

LOCAL YOUNG MAN WAITS TWO YEARS: SWEETIE UNDECIDED

Prosperity poked its reluctant head from around the corner for a brief interval for W. N. Heath, Potashnick Truck Company driver, last Saturday, and then turtle-like, ducked back and sulked. In the meantime 'Little Red' has one new suit of clothes, honeymoon change and an unused marriage license to his credit.

W. N. had waited two years as it is. The wedding date had originall" been set for June 3, last, but Heath had to work that day, so the matter was postponed. He obtained license, however, and last Saturday drifted southward only to meet an undecided Miss, who decided to "wait awhile longer".

Now there are two waiting.

Y. W. A. ELECTS OFFICERS TUESDAY

The following officers were elected at the regular meeting of the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church held at the home of Miss Beulah Swanner Tuesday evening:

President—Miss Vernetta Smith

Vice-President—Miss Virginia Martin

Secretary-Treasurer—Miss Mae Lewis

A shower for the Missouri girls at House Beautiful, a Baptist Seminary in Kentucky, was also given at this meeting, and an interesting program on the Constitution and organization of the Y. W. A. was enjoyed.

Following the business meeting, a delightful watermelon feast was enjoyed. Sixteen members were present to enjoy the affair. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Dorothy Walker, Tuesday evening, August 30, after which a skating party will be enjoyed.

ELIMINATION SCOUT SWIM MEETING TO BE HELD HERE AUGUST 30

The Third Annual Southeast Missouri Area Scout Swimming meet will be held in Sikeston, September 30.

Sikeston District Scouts in the Southeast Missouri Area Council will hold an elimination meet here in the Natatorium Tuesda" nigh:, August 30, beginning at 7:00 o'clock. All troops in the Sikeston District are requested to register at once since the first and second place winners in the August 30th district at the big meet in Septemmeet will represent the Sikeston ber. Those who fail to participate in the elimination meet will automatically be eliminated from participating in the district affair.

The September 30 swimming meet will include Scouts from the Charleston, Poplar Bluff, Cape Girardeau, Sikeston Districts and another district composed of troops in Dexter, Malden, Kennett and Caruthersville. This event, an annual affair, is arousing more interest than usual, and sponsors of the project expect the record participation this year. It is expected that the final meet in September will require an all-afternoon and evening session in order to determine troop winners. It is therefore highly important that troops in the Sikeston District participate in the elimination contest here August 30.

AUXILIARY PLANS FAMILY PICNIC SEPTEMBER FOUR

At the regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held at the home of Mrs Marshall Myers Wednesday afternoon, August 17, plans were made for a family picnic to be held the first Sunday in September at Iron Mountain Lake.

Gilman City—E. L. Taylor opened Gilman Auto Service in Riley Building.

Washington—Lewis Cleaning Co. opened for business in Rombach building, 121 Main Street.

SIKESTON GOLFERS TO PLAY PARAGOULD NEXT SUNDAY

Sikeston golfers will play the second o fa series of friendly match play tournaments next Sunday when they visit Paragould, Ark., on the away links. The locals suffered a drubbing at the hands of Mayfield, Ky., golfers last Sunday, but reported a splendid day nevertheless in the State famed for its blue grass, pretty women and fine horses.

On the Paragould links at least one item will be off the Sikeston alibi lsit. The Arkansas "greens" are similar to the ones on the local course, whereas the Mayfield Club has grass greens which proved more or less troublesome.

All members of the Sikeston Club are eligible to make the Arkansas trip, since the present series of matches has been scheduled especially for the non-tourney playing members of the club. About twenty to twenty-five golfers are expected to make the trip.

Excelsior Springs—W. F. Hirrlinger to move furniture store to Auditorium building.

Edina—New Lindina Theatre held grand opening recently.

Farmington—New sound equipment installed in The Ritz Theatre.

Graveling of Shell Knob-Viola farm-to-market road completed.

Gilman City—Front of store occupied by Supply Store repaired.

WEEK END
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Baby Beef Chuck Roast	12½c
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MOST FATEFUL 24 HOURS IN HISTORY OF NATION

The most fateful twenty-four hours in American history from Saturday noon, March 8, 1862, to noon of the next day. On Saturday afternoon the North had lost the Civil War. On Sunday morning the North snatched victory back again; the South's big chance was gone forever.

And throughout the entire world, wherever there were navies, the news went forth from that tremendous 24 hours that wooden ships of war were doomed, that sea power must be built up anew, out of iron and steel.

The scene for this nation-making drama of the new armaments, write Henry W. Lawrence in the Washington Star, was in the waters of Virginia, where the James River flows into Chesapeake Bay; a shallow seaway known as Hampton Roads. The time, just past noon of a lovely spring day, March 8, 1862.

Out from Norfolk Harbor was moving slowly that menacing mystery ship, once a 40-gun steam frigate of the United States navy called the Merimac, now rebuilt in the earliest of dreadnaughts, an ironclad, called by her new masters the Virginia.

To the North she was full of rumored peril. Stories were abroad that she could shatter and destroy any number of wooden vessels, without receiving any serious damage from their heaviest fire, and that she had little to fear from even the most formidable land batteries.

The northern fears, however, were no more extravagant than the southern hopes. The orders were given by the Confederate secretary of the navy, S. R. Mallory, to the vessel's commander, Franklin Buchanan, reflect these somewhat astonishingly high hopes.

"I submit for your consideration" he wrote, "the attack on New York by the Virginia. Can the Virginia steam to New York and attack and burn the city? She can, I doubt not, pass Old Point safely, and in good weather and a smooth sea she could doubtless go to New York.

"Once in the bay, she could shell and burn the city and the shipping. Such an event would eclipse all the glories of all the combats of the sea, would place every man in it preeminently high, and would strike a blow from which the enemy could never recover.

"Peace would inevitably follow".

And now, on this pleasant day of early March, the Merrimac (as she is commonly called in history) was setting forth to make the great experiment, by attacking the fleet of wooden ships assembled near the batteries of Newport News, just across the roads from Norfolk, the Confederate naval base.

Scarcely had the Merimac left the Norfolk Harbor, when the telegrams announcing her movements began to fly. "The Merimac" (in the dispatches the final "k" is added to her name) "is being towed down by two steamers past Craney Island toward Sewels Point, so reported to me from the Cumberland", wired the commanding officer at Newport News to his superior at Ft. Monroe on Old Point Comfort, the Federal stronghold.

A few minutes later he wired, "The Merrimack is close at hand'.' And again, "The Merrimack is engaging the Cumberland at close quarters". The crisis had arrived.

The Federal warships Congress, 50 guns, the Cumberland, 30 guns, lying off Newport News, were about to be destroyed by the irresistible Merrimac. This is how the Cumberland's commander reported the action:

"At 1 p. m. the enemy hove in sight, gradually nearing us; the ironclad steamer Merrimack, accompanied by two steam gunboats, passed ahead of the frigate Congress and stood down toward us.

"We opened fire on her; she stood on and struck us under the starboard fore channels; she delivered her fire at the same time; the destruction was great. We turned the fire with solid shot with alacrity".

Thus rammed by the iron mystery ship, the Cumberland was done for, but she kept on in the hopeless fight against the antagonist she could not wound. Captain Buchanan of the Merrimac (he calls her the Virginia, of course) gives due credit for this gallantry in his report of the encounter, which reads as follows:

"On the eighth instant, at 11 a. m. the Virginia left navy yard, Norfolk, accompanied by the Raleigh and Beaufort, and proceeded to Newport News to engage the enemy's frigates Cumberland and Congress, gunboats and shore batteries.

"When within less than a mile of the Cumberland, the Virginia commenced the engagement with that ship with her bow gun, and the action soon became general, the Cumberland, Congress, gunboats, and shore batteries concentrating upon us their heavy fire, which was returned with great spirit and determination.

"The Virginia stood rapidly on toward the Cumberland, which ship I had determined to sink with our prow, if possible. In about fifteen minutes after the action commencde, we ran into her starboard bow; the crash below the water was distinctly heard, and she commenced sinking, gallantly fighting her guns as long as tney were above the water. She went down with her colors flying.

"Having sunk the Cumberland, I turned our attention to the Congress", continues the report. This was about 3:30 and 4 o'clock this vessel, having been battered to a pulp was forced to surrender, and later was burned.

Meanwhile the big Minnesota had rushed over from Fortress Monroe to aid her suffering sister ship, and had succeeded only in running hard aground about a mile away from the scene of action. Here she was attacked by the Merrimac, at long range because shallow water made two closer approach impossible, and by two smaller Confederate vessels, who inflicted considerable damage upon her.

At 7 o'clock, darkness and the ebbing tide caused the triumphant ironclad to withdraw across the Roads to her anchorage, where she awaited the following day to finish the job so well begun.

It had been a wonderful day for the southern cause. The Merrimac had easily destroyed two ships of war formerly considered formidable, and this, too, notwithstanding the fact that they had been powerfully aided by shore batteries. No wonder the North was filled with alarm.

Every seaboard city was considered in imminent danger, and there were high officials in Washington who were all ready to flee from that menaced city. General McClellan reported that he would probably have to change the entire plan of his Virginia campaign, just begun.

But that night another warship dropped anchor in Hampton Roads—the new Monitor, commanded by Lieut. John L. Worden. And the next morning the Monitor, facetiously dubed by the Confederates "the Yankee Cheesebox", standing by the stranded Minnesota, spied the Merrimac coming out to renew the engagement of the day before, and steamed out to meet her.

The action between the two ships began at 8:45 a. m. and continued until about noon. During all that time the two ironclads hammered away at one another at close range. The Merrimac, clumsy to maneuver and hampered by shallow water, tried unsuccessfully to ram her antagonist.

At noon the Merrimac withdrew to Norfolk, leaving the Monitor in possession of the field. The Confederate ship went into dry dock that afternono. She had been badly battered, her ram had been knocked off, her armor somewhat admaged, all her boats shot away and two of her guns destroyed; but her officers, reporting that the engagement had ended only when the Monitor withdrew into shallow water, where the deep-draft Merrimac could not pursue her, considered the battle at least a draw.

In its ultimate effects, however, the engagement was a stupendous northern victory. For it prevented the Merrimac from carrying out her limitless plans for destruction against a helpless wooden navy, and gave the North time to outbuild the South in the new iron clads. The panic that had seized the North was dissipated.

The effect of the battle on naval design has been slightly overestimated. To be sure, when the news reached England the London Times commented editorially:

"Whereas we had available for immediate purposes 149 first class warships, we have now two, these two being the Warrior and her sister, Ironside. There is not a ship in the English navy, aside from these two, that it would not be madness to trust to an engagement with that little Monitor".

Nevertheless, naval exports had already known that the day of the ironclad was about to dawn, and recent researches in the naval archives of Paris, London and Washington have shown that it was really France that played the leading role in the introduction of armored vessels.

Napoleon III, emperor of France, from experiences and observations in the Crimean War (1854-1856) had stopped all construction of wooden ship, and in 1860, with the armoured ship Gloire, French constructors had solved the problem of the seagoing ironclad. At the time of the Monitor-Merrimac fight, nearly 100 ironclads built, building or authorized in the navy yards of Europe.

The fight merely taught the man in the street what naval experts already knew—that the wooden navies of the world were doomed. Strangely enough, however, the North had let the South get the jump on it in the matter of using this knowledge, and managed to avert a major disaster only by rushing through the construction of the Monitor at the last minute.

ANN AND LINDY ARE PARENTS OF ANOTHER SON

Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh are the proud parents of a new son born to them Tuesday, August 16. Friends of the Lindberghs seemed agreed that the baby would probably be named after his famous grandfather, the late Senator Dwight Morrow.

In accordance with the wishes of Col. Lindbergh, who said in a statement Tuesday night, he desired as little public attention as possible centered on the baby born Tuesday, the family was left in seclusion. Lindbergh said that he and his wife "feel that our children have a right to grow up normally with other children" and that "continued publicity will make it impossible".

FOR RENT—Five-room house, centrally located.—C. F. McMullin Estate. tf-93-F.

LOST—Insurance papers. Finder please return and receive reward. —Grover Baker. 1t-93 pd

WANTED—Hand Laundry Work. —Mrs. Elnora Jones, 311 Ethel Ave. Will call for and deliver.

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FOR SALE—The Barber boarding house, modern, handy to business district.—Mrs. J. A. Barber. 2tp.91

STRAYED—Saturday, young white fox terrier. Black face and ear. Answers to name Toby. Notify Sam Gaston, No. 498. Reward. 1t-93

SALESMEN WANTED—Men wanted to establish and conduct Rawleigh City business in and near cities of Sikeston, East Prairie and Charleston. Reliable hustler can start earning $35 weekly and increase rapidly. Write immediately.—Rawleigh Co., Dept. Mo.—95-V, Freeport, Ill. 1t-93

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$3700 Holdup of Farmer Near Cape Puzzles Officers

The bold robbery of Thomas G. "Uncle Tom" May, 67, last Friday night in which he lost $3700, is puzzling Sheriff Nat Snider and deputies, who claim to have dozens of hot tips on he case. May was robbed on the Bloomfield Road while walking from the Verlin Sitzes place to the home of his son-in-law, 200 yards away.

Merchants Who Desire Their Share of the Fall Business Should Place Their Ads in the Paper Their Competitor Uses—The Standard—Sikeston's NEWSpaper

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THE EDITOR SAYS—

In order to start something, I'll say we have the name of two citizens who have been given the insurance or a guarantee that they could be given a less rate or their bills would be less, by the Missouri Utilities Co., if they would change from the Municipal Plant to that corporation. So much whispering and nodding going on about our plant that it should be stopped or proven. In addition to the two times we have, if two more will advise The Standard of the same proposition, we'll lay it before the Public Service Commission and ask for an investigation.

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The latest piece of cussedness pulled off in New Madrid County proves conclusively that if ever any county anywhere needed officers who would do their duty instead of favoring friends, it is New Madrid County. It has been common talk for years that all sorts of games flourished in that county, that dozens of drinking joints flourished without molestation, that some of the purest and best whiskey ever distilled anywhere was made in that county, that dance halls harbored strumpets by the dozens We have never visited any of these places and intend to, but why they be permitted to operate is a question for the officers to answer. The hell raised at or near Morehouse Sunday week and the holdup Saturday night just south of Sikeston should wake up the New Madrid County officers to the fact that they have been negligent in their duty. We understand perfectly that these nearby joints are kept up for and by Sikeston folks who like to roll the bones and quench their thirst. We are in hopes the next sheriff of that county will serve notice now and after the election that these joints will not be run openly nor permitted at all if possible to prevent.

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No, the editor is not afraid to print the names of those attending the surprise party down the road Saturday night, provided we had ALL the names, but as it was not a court case and no one hurt, why embarrass married men. It has been a joke to those not present, but no laughing matter to those in front of the gun.

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While our pencil is in good working condition, we wish to say that it has come to us that a man of questionable character has purchased a piece of ground near the new baseball park, where he expects to erect a resort of some sort after a new sheriff is sworn in If this be true, the operator thereof is hereby notified that home brew, liquor and gambling devices must be omitted, else he will have his expense for nothing as he will be carefully watched. This section of Scott County doesn't care to have joints so close under our nose.

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And again, men who spend their salary gambling and drinking do not deserve good jobs when so many family men need work and either drink or gamble.

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And now Mr. Hoover says to pay the bonus to the soldier boys at this time will slow up the return of prosperity, and it is probably true, but for the past three years we have waited for that elusive something to come from around the corner, that to wait a few years longer might not hurt. There is one thing certain, Mr. Hoover knows how and where to find the money for other things that have not helped the down and out and he might find some more money at the same place. The soldier boys would get action on their money immediately where it would be felt and where it would do some good, while no poor man has felt an uplift or gotten a full stomach out of the eighty million dollars Mr. Dawes got to bolster up his Chicago bank. The money frittered away on other things without results to help the unemployed or the busted farmer hasn't left the people in a very good humor to be patient and starve a little longer. It looks like Mr. Hoover feels the politician death just around the corner.

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The house from which Mike Dedoski, his wife and three children were evicted in Detroit Wednesday afternoon was in ruins Thursday, wrecked by a crowd of 500 persons who assembled armed with pick axes, crowbars and other implements of destruction. Police dispersed several hundred persons who threatened violence to a constable during the eviction. Police arrived too late to save the dwelling.

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Some dern fool up here in Cape County was robbed of $3700 in cold cash Saturday morning. He was afraid of banks and carried his money in a tobacco can. We are not afraid of banks, so do not usually carry that much money with us.

Scott County Red Cross Chapter Needs Volunteers to Make Up 9000 Yards of Donated Cloth

WILL NOT TOLERATE PUNCH BOARDS AND SLOT MACHINES HERE —Scott

Please pass the word down the line through your newspaper that we will not tolerate slot machines and punch boards in Scott County, said Sheriff Tom Scott to a Standard representative Friday morning.

This warning will be followed by action and arrest for violators, the sheriff promises. In some manner word has been circulated that "protection" had been obtained for such devices in this county, and and it is a known fact that several boards and machines do exist in Sikeston and this part of the county.

"We do not want to embarrass anyone", said Mr. Scott, Friday, "but the boys can rest assured that we mean business".

PICKLE DILL PAYS SMALL FINE IN CAPE GIRARDEAU J. P. COURT

Hildreth Dill, local youth, pleaded guilty Friday morning to a charge of reckless driving, and was fined $5 and costs by Gus Schultz, Cape Girardeau Justice of the Peace. Dill was arrested September 4 by Trooper Charles E. Pearson.

SIKESTONIANS GUESTS OF FARMINGTON C. OF C.

Monday of last week, C. H. Denman and Major C. L. Malone were guests of the Farmington Chamber of Commerce and of The News of that city, gave the following report of their visit:

"Mr. Denman gave a very interesting and pleasing talk not only on conditions in Sikeston, but conditions in Farmington as he sees them today. He was very complimentary in his remarks concerning the progress of the town, but stated that it was his belief that the prosperity of smaller towns depended a great deal on a payroll, highway facilities and beautifying the towns. He called attention to the fact that the city of Farmington is in great need of a public park and many of our business houses would have a much better appearance if they were modernized by new display windows and removal of obsolete porches.

"After Mr. Denman's talk, President Gentges introduced Major Malone, President of the Sikeston Chamber of Commerce. Major Malone gave a very interesting history of the activities of the Chamber of Commerce of Sikeston and the co-operation that body had received from other organizations, such as the American Legion and Lions Club. He also stated that the Chamber of Commerce of Sikeston had always had the hearty support of the Press. tory has been to his town and Major Malone told of the great benefit the International Shoe Faccounty and he was very proud to report the progress they had made in beautifiyng their city. It is a well known fact that Sikeston is one of the very few prosperous towns in Southeast Missouri. All present gained a great deal of valuable information from Major Malone's talk".

F. E. Mount, Scott County Red Cross Chapter, today issued a call for volunteers to assist in sewing garments from cloth donated to relief work by act of Congress. The Scott County Chapter will receive a total of nine thousand yards of material, or about 3600 yards less than a minium estimate.

Mr. Mount's call for workers reads:

Nine thousand yards of materials consisting of gingham, prints, shirting, outing flannel and bird's-eye have been alloted to the Chapter by the National Red Cross from cotton appropriated by the Congress of the United States to make clothing for the actual needy of the chapter. This goods is all yardage and the garment making must be done by each local community, with volunteer service.

The Sikestor branch has procured through the courtesy of John J. Miller the vacant store room formerly occupied by Mouser's Grocery in the DelRey Hotel Building for its work-room and are now busy trying to equip same for service.

Mrs. J. N. Ross and Mrs. E. C. Matthews have volunteered their services as chairman and assistant chairman respectively of the production service committees: I am therefore requesting each church of the Chapter to organize into groups of twenty or more and report to the chairman of production, Mrs. J. N. Ross, the names and local addresses of each volunteer of each group.

The chairman will assign to each group one day per week.

If there be other groups aside from church groups—such as the American Legion Auxiliary, W. C. T. U., Woman's Club, W. B. A., Rebekahs, Eastern Star, D. A. R., etc., the chairman will be glad to give them assignments.

Sewing machines are especially solicited as we find our equipment very short on these items. If any of the different groups can furnish their own machine either electric or otherwise we shall be glad to transport them from the home ot the workroom. The room will be well equipped for the use of electric machines.

The goods are expected to arrive this week and will be distributed to all branches of the Chapter as rapidly as possible, and may we express the hope that all branches will be ready to start production as soon as the goods are delivered. Have your organizations perfected and ready for service.

Through the courtesy of the Singer Sewing Machine Company and A. E. Shankle, local representative, the Red Cross Sewing room is being equipped with sixteen machines.

Man With Many Names Evades Officers After Passing Worthless Checks

Homer Short, alias C. S. Rogers, alias Homer Thomas, alisa Homer Harris, alias Homer Shaw, is wanted in and near Sikeston, Blytheville, Ark., Memphis, Tenn., Poplar Bluff and incidently in Lansing, Mich. Highway patrolmen of Troop E, located here, have been informed to that effect.

Mr. Short, Rogers, Thomas, Harris or Shaw first visited Sikeston about one month ago, when he cashed a "Cashier's Check" for $7.00 at the Simpson Oil Station, near the intersection of Highways 60 and 61. Herman Banoy noticed the man in town last Thursday afternoon and gave chase, finally apprehending his man on Highway 60, west of the city. The stranger drove back to the Trousdale filling station, changed a $10 bill, and made good the bad check held by Bandy.

Officers were not notified of this incident, and did not discover the country-wide popularity of the man until later.

Since that time E. A. Bandy, accompanied Brown Jewell, constable on another chase. Their man drove rapidly, going north on Highway 61, but the Bandy-Jewell combination finally caught up when near Benton, and started to make an arrest. Their prisoner identified himself as a detective also working on the Short, Rogers, Thomas, Harris, Shaw case.

Since that time Jack Lancaster, who operates the Sensenbaugh 'Y' station south of the city, has notified officers that he also holds a $10.00 memento drafted on a Caruthersville bank, and given by the popular tourist.

He used the name Homer Shaw. In checking up on the man with many names, Highway Patrol officials learned that he is wanted on a charge of rape in Lansing, Mich., and that Memphis, Tenn., Blytheville, Ark., Poplar Bluff and possibly other merchants and garagemen are anxious to have words with their former customer.

He is described as "about 28 years old, six feet, 180 pounds, light hair, rather corpulent".

When in Sikeston the first time Shaw drove a Dodge automobile according to Arba Sensenbaugh. He was later seen driving a Chevrolet coach, Michigan license No. 548-348 or 587-202, repainted and altered since his second visit to Sikeston.

FAIR TO GOOD BUSINESS REPORTED BY FIRMS HERE

Local merchants report one of the best week-ends of the season Friday and Saturday largely due to the fact that cotton harvesting is at its height. Favorable weather of the past two weeks allowing pickers uninterrupted work and selling has been marked despite the fact that the market has declined in the past ten to fifteen days.

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PATROL CAPTAIN CORRECTS NEWS STORY OF ARREST

The following news story is reprinted from the New Madrid Record of September 16 relative to an arrest made just northeast of Sikeston last Tuesday night about 9 o'clock.

AN UNJUST FINE

L A. Richards, Jr., while returning from Cape Girardeau Tuesday in the Richard's Undertaking Company's ambulance and driving at a rate of twenty miles an hour at the outskirts of Sikeston, was arrested and fined $13.50 in the city courts of Sikeston. Mr. Richards is one of our city's best citizens, has always been a most careful driver and has never had an accident or been charged with fast driving, and the officer at Sikeston making the arrest must have been out to bring in all fines possible. In this instance he evidently overstepped his authority as a speed of 20 miles per hour is not an excessive speed.

Mr. Richard had taken Lucille Dunn, a colored woman, to the Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau, and was enroute home when the officer stopped him and filed a charge against him for fast driving. The charge is untrue and should be dismissed.

Actual facts in the case were released to this newspaper at the request of Sikeston business men who wish to correct the impression left by the Record's story, that arrests are being made in this vicinity "merely for a fee".

"Slow" signs and lamp flares had been posted approximately 100 yards north and south of the entrance of Sikeston baseball park in which Downie Brothers Circus was located Tuesday night, in order to control unusually heavy traffic at that point, Highway Patrol officials point out. One trooper had been posted on the center line of Highway 61 at the entrance to the park, to direct north and south, and traffic into and out of the park.

In order to avoid the possibility of an accident to Trooper Brooks, Wade Shankle, weight officer, stationed there in the emergency, planned to train his spot light on the trooper. While Shankle moved his car in position the Richard ambulance came through traffic from the north, riding the black center line. Exceptionally quick footwork on the part of Trooper Brooks avoided getting run down by the machine.

The arrest of Mr. Richards followed, not on a charge of fast driving, but on a justifiable charge of reckless driving.

The driver admitted, according to Officer Shankle, that he had just passed a car on the curve ahead of the flares, and that his attention was directed towards circus lights, and that he failed to see the flares and slow signs.

Insead of filing three traffic violations, only one, reckless driving, was filed. Mr. Richards in crowding the center line, and endangering the life of a trooper, created one potential charge; disregarding the warning, slow signs, created another, and passing a car on a curve, created the third.

No attempt is made to "make arrests in order to bring all fines possible" insofar as Highway Patrol, or local peace officers are concerned. As a matter of fact, the Patrol Headquarters office here points out, the proportions of warnings to ctual arrests runs about 100 to 1.

BOLD BAD MEN HOLD UP BANK CRAP GAME, UNDRESS CUSTOMERS AND ESCAPE WITH $350 SATURDAY

Four bold bad men with the nerve of Al Capone, using the methods of the famous James Boys, minus horses, held up a bank crap game operated by Doc Price, about 3½ miles south of Sikeston Saturday night, stripped a half dozen or eight customers down to nudist colony garb and escaped with cash, watches and jewelry estimated at $350 to $400.

The quartet of men in a Chevrolet sedan with Illinois license arrived at the alleged joint about 10 o'clock, cleaned out the "banker" by taking all money in sight on the table, and then started a systematic search of customers.

One of the latter, a Sikeston young man holding a responsible position in business and in Republican circles, is reported to have lost $65 cash and a watch. Others in the crowd of Saturday night boys lost amounts ranging from a few dollars up.

Another group which lost not only all ready cash, but clothing as well had driven down from Blodgett to spend a quiet evening at dice.

Following the high-handed, thorough cleanout of the place, the four gentlemen robbers equipped with two sawed-off shotguns and two revolvers, herded their victims into a nearby storm cellar, and covered the opening with a piece of sheet metal. In order to discourage any attempt at removing the improvised door one of the happy foursome suggested firing a shot into the dungeon.

After spending nearly two hours during which time the customers and the banker spent several anxious moments, and during which interval the holdup men consumed most of the available home brew and liquor at the place, the foursome departed, driving east on the lane headed toward Highway 61.

The gang prevented any possibility of being followed by systematically smashing ignition switches and distributor caps on the several automobiles with a hammer. In a few cases they locked automobiles, threw keys into the weeds, and thus discouraged their would-be followers, if any, who were more concerned with finding shoes, trousers and other pieces of clothing removed at the request ? ? ? ? of the hosts.

It was in this lane leading to the highway that another Sikeston twosome, one of the town boys and a popular bootblack, met their dose of truble.

The bootblack lost a dollar watch, while his white companion parted with six or eight good, sound American dollars quoted at par on any exchange in the world. In order to prevent being followed by this late arrival, keys to the machine were thrown away, and the distributor cap thrown away. By calling upon a nearby farmer the auto owner finally managed to piece together enough parts from two cars to run back to town.

Officers Brown Jewell and Trooper Brooks responded to a call, but the quartet hapnier by a margin of several pints of liquor, and richer by some $350 and a miscellaneous collection of coats, trousers, B. V. D's, etc., had disappeared.

MISS NUSSBAUM HAS SUCCESSFUL OPENING FOR DANCING SCHOOL

Miss Carlyn Nussbaum of Cape Girardeau, who last Wednesday opened her school of dancing here in the Sikeston Armory, reports a very successful opening with quite a number of students enrolled and much interest shown.

Miss Nussbaum is conducting three classes—a baby class, an intermedite class and a class for high school girls. She teaches tap, toe, ballet, eccentric, acrobatic, interpertive and ballroom dancing. She expects to begin right away making plans for a revue to be given at the Malone Theatre, one of which she hopes to present every month.

WOOLWORTH EMPLOYEES HOLD ALL-DAY MEETING IN POPLAR BLUFF SUNDAY

Fourteen members of the local Woolworth Store force, including Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. McAimus and Mr. and Mrs. James Crooks were guests of the Poplar Bluff Woolworth force Sunday at an all-day meeting at the Poplar Bluff store. Local employees inspected the Poplar Bluff store, getting pointers on arrangements of display. At noon the entire group enjoyed a spread luncheon at waterworks park.

Following an afternoon of entertainment another short meeting was held at the store, after which the visitors returned home. Plans are being made for a similar meeting at Cape Girardeau in the near future, which both the Sikeston and Poplar Bluff forces will attend.

San Clemente Whale Will Arrive Here Tuesday for 2-Day Exhibition



The San Clemente Whale which will be exhibited here by the Pacific Whaling Company, Inc., will arrive in Sikeston Tuesday over the Frisco railroad and the special built exhibition car will be parked here for two days on the siding at the Frisco depot Wednesday and Thursday, September 21 and 22.

This interesting biological study will be open soon after arrival and may be viewed by the public both day and night during the stay in this city. The exhibition car, measuring over 70 feet long is manned by a crew of real whalers, ten in all. The special built car travels in fast freight service and is so constructed that in a few hours after arrival it will accommodate unlimited crowds that go aboard to view the body of the mammoth whale.

The big sea-monster measuring over 60 feet in length and weighing over 70 ton, was captured off the Catalina Island in the Pacific waters July 16th by the Pacific Whaling Company of Long Beach, Calif. The whale was sighted at 11 a. m. and finally run down at 3 p. m. sixty miles south of San Clemente. One clean shot from the harpoon gun of the "killer-boat "Hawk", neatly did the trick. Within forty minutes after being harpooned the big whale was being towed to the mother ship, Lansing.

Alongside the whaling ship, the mammoth body was inflated with air, then towed to a specially constructed barge where the embalming process took place. This procedure taking about eight days in all, with thousands of gallons of chemical and preservatives used by expert curators and preservers of marine life especially engaged to place the huge body in a state of preservation, making the transcontinental exhibition an educational tour of the whale possible.

The exhibition crew headed by Captain L. M. Barnett and his mates, all real whalers, will be here with the exhibit and are prepared to answer any and all questions that may be asked them by the public regarding whales and whaling. The exhibit also carri two mammoth jaw bones of a monster whale, each weighing over 1500 pounds. Several barrels of oil was extracted from the bones alone.

The whale car will be brilliantly illuminated by hundreds of powerful lights and a mammonth search light taken from the whale boat "Hawk", will radiate the sky at night and is claimed to be visible at a distance of twenty miles.

Malone's Pharmacy for prescriptions.

Negro Women Held For Wounding Man In Ice Pick Attack

Lucille Corby, negro woman, was held by New Madrid County officers Saturday, charged with attacking Calvine Monroe. The latter negro was found suffering from four stab wounds, alleged to have been inflicted with an ice pick during an altercation Saturday night on the Binford place, two and one-half miles east of Matthews.

Officers discovered that the trouble started at a four-way party involving Sam Sherman and his wife, Winnie, the Corby woman and her man, Monroe. Shells found on the cabin floor led to the arrest of Winnie Sherman, who was found in possession of a .32 caliber revolver.

Deputy Sheriff Otto Burnett of New Madrid County arrested an even dozen negroes Saturday night at a boarding house on the Houck farm, near Matthews, on charges of peace disturbance. Burnett followed up his clean up activities Sunday by picking up eight more negroes at Canalou on similar charges.

MRS. GLENN GENTRY SUCCUMBS THURSDAY

Mrs. Pearl Gentry, wife of Glenn Gentry, died last Thursday afternoon at the Emergency Hospital from complications arising from an operation for appendicitis. She was born in Morehouse December 8, 1909 and died September 15, last, at the age of 22 years, 9 months and 7 days.

Surviving besides her husband, are four children, three sons and one daughter, her mother, Mrs. Flo Kibby of Cape Girardeau, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary McIntosh and Mrs. Jane Price of Harrisburg, Illinois.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon 2:00 o'clock at the local Methodist church with Rev. J. F. E. Bates officiating. Interment in Sikeston city cemetery, Welsh in charge.

Members of the family attending services were: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whiteside and daughter, Marjorie, and Mrs. Myrtle Stickney of Carbondale, Ill., Mrs. Mary McIntosh of Cape Girardeau, Mr. and Mrs. James Price of Harrisburg, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sutton of Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Dollie Hinkle of Chaffee, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Daniels of Malden, Bert Gentry and family of Matthews, and many friends.

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Night Football Lights Pronounced OK During Alumni-Varsity Tilt

Several hundred Sikeston football fans witnessed a scrimmage between the Varsity and Alumni Friday night and incidentally pronounced the recently installed equipment 100 per cent efficient.

Lights are so arranged to permit turning on one-half of the bulbs on each side of the field at a time. The test Friday demonstrated without question that the field is one of the best lighted anywhere in Southeast Missouri, such at least was the pronouncement of a dozen or more local sports followers.

The Alumni finally pushed over a touchdown during the scrimmage, but the local high gridders, despite their light weight and inexperience, showed remarkable ability, especially in the line. Coach Mahew has developed a fast charging outfit which should prove effective against teams of equal size and weight.

The Sikeston grid season will open Friday night this week against Matthews. The novelty of night football is expected to attract a record crowd for the opening game at least. Placards have been placed in every town and community in a radius of twenty miles and every effort is being made to accommodate the expected visitors. Coach Englehart of Matthews visited Sikeston Saturday and stated that his team would consist of light, and fast material. Only two regulars reported for practice on the Matthews squad this year, but quite a bit of new material is being developed.

SHERIFF SCOTT HOLDS TRICK $5.00 BILL

Sheriff Tom Scott is in possession of a fake $5.00 bill passed at the New Hamburg "chicken" party some time ago. The bill was raised from a $1.00 item by clipping the corner from a $5 note and pasting it over the "one" on the bill of smaller denomination. When shoved over the counter during a rush the folded bill was not detected as a fake.

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Lumsden Wins Top Honors in Class A at Charleston Individual Open Tourney

David Lumsden, Sikeston juvenile golf luminary, walked away with first honors in Class A Sunday on the Charleston links during the first Annual Open Championship conducted there. Lumsden's score of 153 strokes was followed by Russell Sisler of Dexter and Bill Malone, another Sikestonian, who were tied with 169 strokes each. Lynn Stalleup of Sikeston got third with 161 strokes for the 36-hole match.

In the first Championship racket, Johnny Willebrand, St. Charles pro, who coached local golfers for several days here about two months ago, finished first with a score of 136 or six under par, defeating H. L. Oatman, Kennett pro who came in a close second with a score of 137, 3 under par. Geo. Kirk of Charleston, placed third, with 138 strokes.

In Class B, Arnold Lee, better known as "Sonny", won first place with 162 strokes, including an eagle on a long par No4. 8 hole. Charles Clowe of Dexter, finished second in this bracket with 165 and . D. Sidwell of Cape Girardeau third with 174 strokes.

Fifty-five players entered the tournament, but only 43 qualified. Oatman and Willebrand tied for lowest score for any nine holes of the tourney, shooting 32 each and received one-half dozen golf balls. The popular Johnny Willebrand, for whom most of a gallary of approximately 50 golfers was pulling, scored the most birdies and received another one-half dozen golf balls. Johnny scored 13 birdies. "Sonny" Lee's eagle was the only one scored in the tournament and netted him two golf balls as a prize.

ENROLLMENT DECREASED

Charleston, September 13.—Enrollment in the Charleston City schools for 1932 shows a decrease of 14 over that f 1931.

The high school enrollment this year was 221, a gain of 12 over last year. Grade school enrollments dropped 26.

Cassville—Unique Shoppe at this place, to expand its business by establishment of new shoppe at Seligman.

SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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Saturday night's affair should be a warning to girls who sometimes go with boys to road house brew joints, to stay away in the future. Suppose some of them had been down the lane and stripped as were the boys and had to walk to town shoeless and britchesless. Shocking to think about.

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The editor is in receipt of a very fine letter from a very sweet girl, who congratulates us on our 69th birthday and wishes us a long extension of life. She, too, celebrated her 16th birthday last week and we wish her a long and useful life.

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The people of Missouri can now unite with the people of many other States in setting their own houses in order. Maine proved to the people of America, last Tuesday, that this country is through with Mr. Hoover. That rock-ribbed Republican State administered a stinging rebuke to those party leaders who forced the re-nomination of the president because it was a party precedent. "As Maine goes, so goes the nation", has been their own slogan since 1840, so it must be believed that a presidential landslide for Franklin D. Roosevelt is on the way. While many good, substantial voters of his party have long determined to vote against Mr. Hoover, they are just beginning to realize that he and his cabinet members and their appointees have reached out into our State to control it and its officials. The Hyde-Clements machine and the federal office holders controlled the nomination of the Republican candidate for governor, and for the United States Senator in so boss-controlled a primary that the wishes of voters from many sections of the State were trampled under foot. St. Louis swung its big machine into action, and Winter was nominated. This wave of rebellion is more intense against Mr. Hoover and his appointees than against the doctrine of Republicanism, especially in this agricultural section. As in the days of the other Roosevelt, many of the clean Republicans of Missouri are now determined to reprove Mr. Hoover and Mr. Hyde and make a clean sweep of those in power both in this State and in the national for the past twelve years—years in which Missouri taxes and governmental extravagance have risen by leaps and bounds. To combat this trend away from their party, the strategy of Republican State leaders is to try and trade with county and congressional candidates in order to insure the election of their State ticket. The Democratic State platform adopted strikes at the very heart of extravagance in Missouri in its most important planks—that on excessive taxation and reduction of governmental costs, and that one declaring that a public office is a public trust.—La Plata Home-Press.

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LYNEAR CARTER KILLS 24-POUND BOB CAT

Lynear Carter, International Shoe Factory worker, killed a Bob Cat last Sunday morning while hunting squirrels near Bloomfield, and to prove his prowess, exhibited the huge cat at Tht Bijou. Later in the day the "varmint" was removed, but Carter could not be reached for a statement as to what he intended to do with his kill.

Bob Cats were once rather plentiful in this district, according to old-timers, but the species is rapidly dying out. Nevertheless several instances of killing a member of this cat family have been recorded in the district in the past several weeks.

Ex-Sheriff Bill Schade while attending the Hagenbeck-Wallace show in Cape Girardeau Tuesday found that when he reached the inside of the big tent that some miscreant had relieved him of his pocketbook containing slightly less than $4.00. He was forced to sit through the performance without knicknacks for want of change. He could not borrow from those about him for all had either been shortchanged or fleeced of their coin with the exception of County Clerk Edwin Kies who was also out of money which he attributed to pickpockets, but thanks to his absent mindedness—he found his pocketbook on his bed when he returned home.—Jackson Cash Book.

MRS. L. R. BURNS WINS LADIES' GOLF TOURNAMENT

Mrs. L. R. Burns won a one-hole playoff on the local golf links Sunday afternoon to take top honors in the ladies' tournament from Mrs. Duree Medley, after a tie score of 110 for the 18 holes. Those participating in the first tourney of this kind here, included Pauline Henry, Mrs. C. C. Scott, Mrs. D. L. Fisher of Morehouse, Mrs. Duree Medley, Mrs. L. R. Burns and Lynette Stallcup.

The girls decided to stage another tournament on the local links this week Wednesday afternoon.

SERVICES HELD SUNDAY FOR E. L. PHELPS, AGED RESIDENT NEAR ORAN

Elonzo Lee Phelps, born in Russellville, Ky., September 19, 1867, died last Thursday at the family residence near Oran.

Mr. Phelps was united in marriage with Mrs. Mary Rottler, to which union five children were born, two of whom preceeded him in death. Surviving are his wife and three children, Mrs. Freda Monan, Frank and Louise Phelps, and two step-children, Mrs. John Davenport and Roland Rottler, six grandchildren, three sisters, Mrs. Sue Lett of Delta, Mrs. Belle Estes of St. Louis, and Mrs. Matilda Ranes of Hanson, Ky.

Funeral services were conducted at the family residence, two miles west of Oran Sunday afternoon, 2 o'clock, with Rev. Howard, pastor of the Oran Baptist church officiating. Interment in Friends Cemetery at Oran. Welsh of Sikeston in charge.

DEATH CLAIMS HASSEL LEE MORGAN, 6 YEARS OLD, OF MOREHOUSE

Hassell Lee Morgan, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morgan of Morehouse, died unexpectedly of diptheria last Friday afternoon having been ill only a few days. The youngster did not seem seriously ill and played with his sisters and brother until the day of his death. Anti-toxin was administered, but failed to check the disease.

Hassell Lee was born in Morehouse February 14, 1926 and died September 16 at the age of six years, seven months and two days. On account of quarantine regulations, funeral services could not be held at the residence or at church and the body was laid away with a short services conducted by Rev. Holt at Memorial Park Cemetery, Sikeston, Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock with Welsh of Sikeston in charge. Surviving are his father and mother, three sisters, two brothers, two grandfathers and one grandmother.

SUTTON BROS. SALE FAIRLY SUCCESSFUL

Sutton Brothers today reported that their remodeling sale which swung underway last Saturday, met with fair response from customers in this district. We enjoyed good trade Saturday afternoon ond night, but it was mostly local trade, Jake Sutton is quoted as saying. Country folks did not seem to be in the market to any great extent.

Sutton Brothers have marked down a large hardware and grocery stock in order to facilitate remodeling operations soon to be carried out. Special sale prices will continue through Saturday this week.

EXTENSION HISTORY COURSE TO BE OFFERED HERE BY DEAN DOUGLAS

Dean Douglas of Southeast Missouri State Teachers College, Cape Girardeau, will conduct a three-hour course in Nineteenth Century History with the first class scheduled to meet at the local high school building at 7:00 o'clock Tuesday night, and continuing for eighteen weeks. Each session will be of two hour's duration for a total credit of three college hours. Anyone qualified to take senior college work is eligible to take the course which carries a fee of $18 plus cost of text books.

Col. A. A. Ebert, well known auctioneer is moving to the Cape, and will locate his office and Auction House at 721 Broadway. Col. Ebert formerly lived at Sikeston, but for the past twelve years has resided in St. Louis. While at Sikeston Ebert was engaged in the livestock business, and general auctioneering. He promoted tht Sikeston Fair, which gained the reputation of being one of the leading fairs of the State. The Colonel purchased the Governor Coleman farm near St. Louis, and later sold it to B. F. Busch, President of the Missouri Pacific railroad. He moved his family to St. Louis, and opened an office in the Arcvade building, specializing in the autcioneering of fine livestock and real estate. The new auction house will hold a general auction sale on Tuesday of each week, and will solicit personal property of all kinds which will be sold in these sales.—Cape News.

MADRID AND GIRARDEAU COUNTIES HAVE ROADS IN LETTING SEPT. 30

Jefferson City, September 16.—A $1,750,000 road letting, including a number of Federal aid highway projects, was announced today by the State Highway Department for September 30. The letting includes 69 projects in 32 counties, of which 146.4 miles is gravel and 141.7 graded earth.

The letting will be under the highway department's emergency program, designed to give employment to 12,000 extra men. The minimum wage contractors may pay is 35 cents an hour for unskilled labor and 50 cents an hour for skilled labor. A maximum week of 30 hours is specified.

Whenever practical, manpower will be used.

Included in the letting are contracts in New Madrid and Cape Girardeau Counties, described as follows:

New Madrid: 4.8 gravel, Route SK, Portageville to Linda; 2.2 miles gravel, Route SM, Portageville to Mount Pleasant.

Cape Girardeau: (E) 6.9 gravel, Gravel Hill to Jackson, and six small bridges; 6.6 gravel earth, Delto to Drum on State Route SN, and three small bridges.

News of The Town

MRS. C. M. HARRIS, Phone 581

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradley spent last Saturday afternoon in Cape Girardeau.

Jack Matthews and Hubert Boyer went to St. Louis Sunday night on a business trip.

Mrs. P. M. Malcolm is reported to be about the same.

A box of Post's Bran Flakes awaits Mrs. George Dye at The Standard office. Just clip this local and call at the office for your Bran Flakes.

M. B. Duncan, who had been visiting with his family in St. Louis, returned to Sikeston Saturday night.

Mrs. Harry Lewis, who is confined to her home suffering from rheumatism, is reported to be some better.

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Mrs. Lavona Martin returned Sunday after spending the week visiting Mrs. C. N. Stewart at Caruthersville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sharp and Mrs. Jennie Mitchell spent Sunday visiting with friends at Fruitland and Cape Girardeau.

Miss Ann Beck went to Cape Girardeau, Sunday, where on Monday she entered the Southeast Missouri Teachers' College.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eskew and children of Cape Girardeau spent last week-end here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bratton and family.

A box of Post's Bran Flakes awaits Mrs. Wilbur Ensor at The Standard office. Just clip this local and call at the office for your Bran Flakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young and children, Mrs. H. E. Reuber and Miss Wootson Hollingsworth spent last week-end at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.

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Misses Marilyn Bess, Mildred Williams and Helen Wolters of Poplar Bluff spent last week-end at the Wayne Bess home in this city.

Mrs. Nancy Key and Miss Bert Paschal of Springville, Tenn., came last Friday for a visit with Sikeston friends. Mrs. Key is a former resident of Sikeston.

Malone's Pharmacy for quality drugs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trousdale and Mrs. Nellie Atkinson spent Sunday in St. Louis, visiting with the former's daughter, Miss Flavia who is a patient at the Shriners' Hospital. They also visited with Mr. Carroll's sister, Mrs. H. S. Hulen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ches Davis Stone of East St. Louis, Ill., Mrs. Clara Elder and daughter, Dorothy Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Duke Heater of Tamms, Ill., spent Sunday in Sikton with Mrs. Elder's half brother, John Simler and wife. Mr. Stone is an uncle of J. W. Stone, also of this city.

Mrs. V. D. Hunter and son, Robert, of Louisville, Ky., visited her brother, A. B. Skillman, Thursday night and Friday. The visitors left Friday afternoon for St. Louis accompanied by Vernon "Jimmy" Skillman, who spent a few days wiht his father. Jimmy is employed in Louisville.

The following were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Duncan Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Rex Day and daughter and Mrs. Day of Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duncan and son of Cape Girardeau, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Duncan and son of Poplar Bluff and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Duncan and daughters of this city.

Miss Letha McDowell of Oran is visiting Miss Margaree Walton.

Mrs. Paul Slinkard and Miss Freda Reese were Dexter visitors Monday morning.

Sam Frizzel of Chaffee and Tom Scott of Benton were in Sikeston Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Groves of Marquand were guests of Mrs. W. H. Stubblefield, Sunday.

Misses Grace and Ella Lee Evans spent the week-end with relatives in Poplar Bluff.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ancel Saturday forenoon to bring joy into the household. All three are doing nicely.

The following boys were present to enjoy the surprise birthday dinner given in honor of Lewis Conley at his home Sunday: John McMullin, Glenn Joyner, Melfred Taylor, John Bailey, Pat and Lawrence Adams, Martin Howze, Bob Jackson and Marshall Wilson.

A goodly number of the W. B. A. Friendship Circle members spent last Friday with Mrs. G. F. Pierce and daughters. The ladies pieced on their quilt, with lunch served at the noon hour. The next meeting of the Circle will be held Friday afternoon, September 30 at the home of Mrs. John Simlar on Harris avenue.

Miss Maud Adams, Billie and Albert Keith Bess and Clyde Martin spent Sunday afternoon in Charleston with Miss Adams' uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kenrick.

Miss Mabel Caughlin, who is teaching at Kennett, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caughlin, at Morley, and also at the Wayne Bess home in this city.

Mrs. C. C. Cummins, Miss Freda Reese and Mrs. Olive Clifford and daughter, Miss Nellie, of McMullin were in Cape Girardeau last Friday afternoon to attend the Missouri Utilities Cooking Demonstration.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. C. will be held Thursday aftrenoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Mount on Gladys Street, with Mrs. E. J. Malone, Sr., and Mrs. Lizzie Ferrell, assistant hostesses. Rev. J. F. E. Bates, pastor of the local Methodist church, will be present and will give a short address on "Citizenship" A full attendance of the membership and also friends are invited to be present at this meeting. Election of officers.

The following O. E. S. members went to Illmo last Thursday for a surprise get-together meeting with Mrs. Tommie Sue Waller, district deputy grand matron: Mesdames Robert Mow, Frank Dye, Harry E. Dudley, F. E. Mount, Joe Mathis, O. E. Kendall R. E. Bailey, Gust Zacher, Earl Malone, Jr., E. G. Buchanan, Earl Johnson, John Powell, Barney Forrester, John Fox, A. E. Shankle, Ben Ritter and son, W. E. Hollingsworth, Birch Mill, Effie Hunter and B. L. McMullin. Another surprise was when Mrs. Emma Kendall of Denver, Colo., who is visiting relatives at Commerce, came to be present at the meeting. A very pleasant time was had by all present. Mrs. Waller expects to be present at the regular chapter meeting here on Thursday evening. This will be her official visit.

Mrs. Raymond Hall of Dexter spent last Saturday night and Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Swaim. From Sikeston, Mrs. Hall went to Campbell to visit with Mr. Hall's parents, who live there.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church will hold an all-day quilting Thursday at the church. Each lady is asked to bring a covered dish and lunch will be served at noon.

Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Garrison left Monday for Tulsa, Okla., where they will visit Mrs. Garrison's mother, Mrs. Ida Briggs. Rev. Garrison expects to return to Sikeston Thursday, while Mrs. Garrison will remain for a longer visit in hopes of regaining her health. She has been confined to her home here for the past few weeks on account of illness and it is thought a change would benefit her health Sunday morning several Sunday school classes of the church gave Mrs. Garrison going-away gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Craig and children of Malden were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moody, Sunday. Mrs. Roy Anderson and children accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hayden and son, Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs C. B. Kinsolving and daughter, Joyce, and C. B. Kinsolving, Sr., spent last Saturday at Grand Rivers, Ky., visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Bell Sams, who has been confined to her home the past two weeks on account of serious illness, is reported to be about the same. Mrs. Nora Shannon is nursing Mrs. Sams.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese left last Friday for Detroit, Mich., where they will visit Mrs. Reese's sister, Mrs. Ed Blackburn, for two weeks.

F. E. Smith and family of Yarbro, Ark., spent Sunday in Sikeston with the former's brother, Frank Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slinkard were in Burfordsville and Cape Girardeau, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lankford, Mr. Fields and Miss Freda Reese were in Cape Girardeau Sunday afternoon.

Butler—Improvements underway at City Hall.

Pattonsburg—Clyde Cooper opened butcher shop in room vacated by Bartlett Grocery.

Novinger—Joe Giachino purchased Arctic Mine, southeast of here.

SEA CAPTAIN TALKS TO SCHOOL CHILDREN



CAPT. LEW NICHOLS, retired from active service aboard whaling ships, who entertained Sikeston school children Monday morning with a dramatic account of whaling trips and life on the ocean.

SOUTHEAST MO. HORSE SHOW TO BE HELD OCT. 6

Cape Girardeau, September 16.—The Southeast Missouri Horse Show here will be conducted October 6, and 32 horses already have been entered in the saddle and harness show classes.

Dr. O. L. Seabaugh, chairman, said today 3000 tickets have already been sold, and special seating arrangements are being made at Fairground Park. A saddle mare will be given away during the program. Horses will be exhibited from as far away as St. Louis County and Southern Illinois.

ENROLLMENT LESS

Kennett, September 13.—Enrollment in the Kennett city schools is less than that of last year. The total enrollment for 1932 now stands at 829 compared with 895 for 1931.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT—Modern apartments. Furnished or unfurnished. Steam heat, hot and cold water furnished. Reasonable.—T. A. Slack. tf-102.

FOR SALE—Household furniture for five complete rooms. Will sell in whole or part as purchaser desires. See this furniture on display at Lair's. Priced for quick disposal.—C. C. Rose. tf-97

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished apartment. Reasonable prices.—E. J. Keith. tf-98

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms.—Mrs. H. C. Wells, 120 Center Street. tf-101

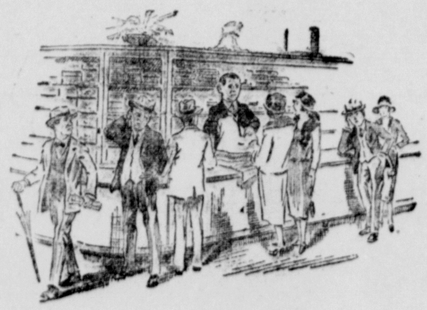
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WHAT HAS HAPPENED

To prevent her son, David, from marrying Kitty Lane, a waitress, Mrs. Livingston pretends that she must visit a specialist abroad. Her heart is so bad that it becomes necessary for David to accompany her. David wants to marry Kitty at once, but the girl suggests that they wait.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Kitty and Dave sat talking, dreaming, planning. She had her arm about him as she said, slowly: "My father's dead, Davey. He died a year ago. I don't even remember my mother. I never had any brothers or sisters. You're all of them now. You're all I've got that means anything. I belong to you—I always will."

He suddenly embraced her with a passionate, ardent fierceness. "I want you, Kitty. I'm not going away without you. I can't—I can't."

The next morning David visited Kitty early to tell her that they would be married that day. While they were talking a knock sounded against the door. Kitty opened it to discover Mrs. Livingston and Judge Forbes on the threshold.

"Oh!" Kitty was surprised, but she quickly recovered her composure. "Are you looking for Dave? He's here."

Mrs. Livingston hardly glanced at Kitty. Her eyes quickly swept the room. Tight lipped, she walked over to her son. "Get out of this place at once, David!"

"Calm down, mother. No scenes, please."

"Your train leaves at three o'clock," Judge Forbes volunteered. Forbes for help. "Why—there's no hurry now, David."

"Certainly there is," Forbes urged easily with a significant look at Mrs. Livingston. "There are so many things to attend to yet." He smiled at David. "And this is most important, isn't it, son?"

"You bet!" David exclaimed cheerfully. He kissed the girl. "I won't be long, Kitty. Wait for me." He grabbed his hat and started out, pausing long enough to say to Forbes. "Thanks. I don't know what would have happened if it weren't for you. I'll be back in about an hour." With that he was gone.

"I'd better be going, too." Judge Forbes turned to Mrs. Livingston. "I still have several things to arrange for you before you leave. Goodbye, Miss Lane."

Kitty went over to Mrs. Livingston. "Don't worry. You're never gonna be sorry. Not if I have anything to do with it. I'll do everything to make Dave happy. And you too, if you'll let me."

"You must forgive me for being a foolish mother. David's the only one I have left in the world, and I'm greedy about him." She took Kitty's face between her hands and kissed the girl. The latter threw her arms about the woman fervently, making Mrs. Livingston most uncomfortable.

"I must run along. The luggage must get off." Mrs. Livingston smiled. "Dave never could look after bags."

Kitty busied herself packing her things. Time slipped quickly by. There was a knock on the door. She ran to open it, expecting to see



"The complaint is violation of the Public Morals Act," said Forbes.
(Posed by Oscar Apfel and Barbara Stanwyck)

"I'll be there." The lad was quiet but determined. "Kitty is coming with me. We're going to be married.

Mrs. Livingston saw red. "Married!"

"Otherwise, I'm not going abroad. You might as well get used to the idea——"

"You don't think I'm going to let you marry this cheap—common——" Kitty broke in on the woman. "I'm not cheap! I'm not common!"

"Calling names isn't going to do any good, mother."

Mrs. Livingston turned on the lad. "You mean to tell me that you are going to stand there and defend this girl after——" She made a sweeping gesture aroud the room.

Kitty broke in quietly. "I'm not ashamed—I love him."

Mrs. Livingston commenced to shout. "Of course you're not ashamed! Why should you be? This is nothing new to you. You probably weren't ashamed all the other——"

David became menacing. "I can't allow you to say that!" His voice had an electrifying effect upon his mother. She stared at him, frightened. For a time there was absolute silence, then David continued. "There is no use talking about it any more. I've made up my mind. Kit and I are going to be married."

Judge Forbes moved over to Mrs. Livingston. "Just a moment, Helen." A flash of understanding passed between them as he continued. "Here are two young people in love with each other. Nothing you can say or do will alter that." He became sympathetic. "I know exactly how you feel. The whole thing is a shock to you. That's why you're saying things you don't mean." He squeezed Mrs. Livingston's arm. "Perhaps if you and Miss Lane get to know each other better—you'll probably learn to love her as much as David does. After all, you've got to be fair about this, Helen."

Mrs. Livingston hung her head guiltily, playing straight for Forbes. She had no idea what was in his mind, but had implicit faith in him. "I may have lost my head."

Dave and Kitty watched the scene anxiously. Mrs. Livingston went over to the girl, holding out her hand. "Forgive me, dear. I know I said some terrible things. I'm sorry. Please try to understand. It's only because I worry so much over David."

"Sure—I understand," Kitty replied with a forgiving spirit. It was David's mother.

The lad was happy. "Gee, mother, you're a peach!" He threw his arms about her and hugged the woman affectionately. "See, Kitty, I told you she was swell."

Judge Forbes thought it time to break up the scene. "Better get started if you are all going to make the train."

"I've got something to do first." Dave was beaming. "I'm going downtown and get a marriage license."

Once more Mrs. Livingston became panic-stricken. She looked to David. Instead she was greeted by Forbes and a detective.

"This is the young woman," said Forbes.

"Kitty Lane?" The detective inquired.

"Yes." She apprehended tragedy.

The detective handed her a paper. "You'll have to come along with me."

"He's joking, ain't he, Mr. Forbes?"

The Judge shook his head. "The complaint is violation of the Public Morals Act."

She stared at the paper, and then at Forbes. "Violation? How do you know?"

"I swore out the complaint."

Kitty looked at him in bitter indignation. Words failed her. Forbes turned his eyes away guiltily. He cleared his throat uneasily and said to the detective, "Collins, I'd like a few minutes with this young lady."

"All right, Judge."

"Where's Dave?" Kitty asked as they entered the room.

"David's at home."

She looked at him fearfully. "You mean something bad—what is it?"

"I've convinced David that temporary unhappiness is better than permanent tragedy."

"You mean you've talked him out of marrying me?"

"Exactly."

"Why do you want to do this to us? We love each other."

"I'm sure you do—now——"

"We want to get married. If Davey knew this, he'd be here to help me."

"He can't help you. Nobody can, but yourself." She silently sank to the couch. "Now, my dear young lady, it isn't necessary for you to do any acting. I know what it's all about. I've handled cases like this before."

"I want to see Davey."

"That's out of the question. He's leaving for New York with his mother. They're sailing for Europe immediately. However, I'm authorized to act for them." He reached into his pocket and drew out his wallet. "I've been to the bank. I thought you'd prefer cash." He withdrew a piece of paper and a handful of bank notes. "Five thousand dollars. Merely for leaving town at once." He extended the money. She took it, looked at it for a moment with a bitter smile on her face. Then she flung it into Forbes' face. The notes scattered all about the room.

"What are you trying to make of me? What you wish I was—something cheap; something common; something you can buy with money! Well, you can't. Nobody can. You—and the people who sent you—the nice, decent people are the real cheap ones—trying to put a price on something there can't be a price for. If that's decent, I'm glad I'm common." She ran to the door and threw it open. The detective was outside. Kitty screamed at him. "Come on in, copper, and earn pay!"

TO BE CONTINUED

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking all of our friends and neighbors who so kindly offered their assistance in the illness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Pearl Gentry, for the beautiful floral offerings and Rev. J. F. E. Bates for his consoling words, and his choir for their services.

Glenn Gentry and Children.

Palmyra—K. S. Bailey commenced work on new filling station on N. Main St., on block west of

7:30 P. M. FRIDAY ▶ See the Big Flood Lights ◀

40,000 Watts, Municipal Light

SEPTEMBER 23 OPENING FOOTBALL GAME

SIKESTON vs. MATTHEWS



FOR RENT—5-room house centrally located.—C. F. McMullin Estate. See J. S. Kevil. tf-102.

JOINT OPERATOR WARNS SHERIFF THAT RAID IS IN PROGRESS; ARRESTED

"Hey, you fellows, better put that stuff away. They're pullin' a raid outside", warned Eugene Biler Saturday night, but one of the customers being wised up happened to be Sheriff Tom Scott. Officers Walter Kendall, Gid Daniels, Murray Powell and Toots Nall in the meantime picked up 65 to 70 bottles of alleged beer, while Scott confiscated four bottles of the same stuff.

Thurman Holt and John and Eugene Biler were charged with sale and possession of intoxicating liquor.

Orville Craig and a man named Killin were arrested about one-fourth mile north and west of Biler Park Saturday night. Both pleaded guilty to charges of possession and were fined $25 each and costs. They were committed to jail for non-payment of fine. Craig operated a place on the old Rube Greer farm, where approximately 60 bottles of home brew were found by the officers.

At Green Lake, located at the east front door of Sikeston on Highway 60, Scott and his sponge crew located about one quart of liquor in a gallon jug. Alton Cox was arrested on charges of possession.

CHICKEN HOUSE ENDS CAR THEFT ATTEMPT: ROBBER FLIES COOP

An attempted car theft ended abruptly for two negro men Saturday night shortly after they dashed out of the Air-Mist Auto Laundry driveway with Lacy Nelson's Ford. The rush for the wide open spaces ended at the intersection of North Stoddard and Center Streets, when the would-be thieves failed to make the turn, crashed through the back wall of a garage and into a chicken house on the J. H. Vowel property.

Mrs. Vowel and her mother were sitting on the front porch at the time, and believed for a minute that the speeding automobile would crash into them. Instead of that, however, the driver turned sharply, cut across the yard of Dr. J. H. Kready, through the open garage door, and into the chicken house. Then the negro men fled hurriedly.

Nelson had driven into the Air-Mist Garage for a light bulb. He remained inside of the office for a minute only to see his machine dashing madly down the street. Clay Mitchell witnessed the theft and states that the car was backed out of the drive into a parked car and then hurled down the street.

Mr. and Mrs. Vowel are holding the Ford until someone pays $10 damage to garage and chicken house.

GEN MORGAN HOME IN CHAFFEE VISITED BY SOFT SHOE ARTISTS

The Gen Morgan home in Chaffee was one of four or five entered and robbed Sunday night by a second story man, according to a report received through special agents of the Frisco railroad. Morgan is a dispatcher with the railroad stationed in Chaffee. His loss included $16.00 cash, and an Elgin '16" 21-jewell watch described as having the name "Father Time" inscribed on the works, and a chip out of the face between the numerals 5 and 7. Miss Juanita Morgan was awakened by beams of a flashlight and gave the alarm. The prowler escaped.

HYDE SAYS U. S. WON'T PRESS FARMERS TO REPAY LOANS

Fort Wayne, Ind., September 16.—Arthur M. Hyde, Secretary of Agriculture, said here today the department will not press the collection of Federal seed and feed loans until Congress has an opportunity to consider requests for deferred payments.

Secretary Hyde, here for a Lincoln celebration, confirmed the report that he had been authorized by President Hoover to say the Department of Agriculture wishes to handle the situation with the "utmost consideration for borrowers who are in difficulty".

Secretary Hyde made it clear that the debts will stand, but that the department will exercise leniency and will not take away property by foreclosure. He said nothing will be done until Congress acts on an amortization plan.

Complaints come from numerous points in the Ozarks that native fishermen are using an old Indian scheme to catch fish. The "trick" is a violation of the State laws, fish and game wardens declare. The fisherman pound up green walnuts in a large towsack and then thrust them to the bottom of the water, burying them in the mud. The result is that the fish are affected much in the same manner as tear gas affects a human being. They become groggy and are easy to catch by hand or by gigging.—West Plains Gazettt.

Several pupils in the "B" class at the Wild Onion school Monday were stung by wasps which Little Fidity Flinders found in a nest under the teachers' desk.—Commercial Appeal.

Miss Hostetter Hocks, our poet, while baking a pie Saturday morning, thought up and wrote a poem about Katydids. Raz Barlow says he heard the pie turned out good.—Commercial Appeal.

Poke Eazley says he was told there is a colony way off yonder where the people don't wear any clothes. He reckons that is just the place for his wife, who is always complaining of not having a stitch fit to wear.—Commercial Appeal.

Owensville—Union Pipe Co. opened their factory recently.

During a discussion with the blacksmith this morning Ellick Helwanger got excited, forgot all about his lumbago, and pulled up the anvil by the roots.—Commercial Appeal.

Neosho—Ayers Studio moved to building owned by Floyd M. Jackson on E. Main Street.

Genius is the capacity, not for taking pains, but for feeling young.

COACH EXPECTS LIGHT FAST GRID MACHINE AT MATTHEWS H. S.

Coach George Englehart of Matthews reports that only two letterinen of last season are with him this year around which he must build his 1932 football machine which opens the season with Sikeston on the local lighted field on the evening of September 23. Revelle and Wilmuth are tho two seasoned players on the squad. According to Mr. Englehart, quite a bit of new material has shown up, but most of it is light or inexperienced. Regular practice exercises are being held daily, but due to tht fact that many players are carried to and from school in busses practice is limited to only 30 minutes a day, from 3 o'clock to 3:45, allowing approximately half an hour for actual practice.

The season schedule as announced by Coach Englehart is subject to two probable changes as noted:

Matthews vs. Sikeston, away, September 23.

Matthews vs. New Madrid, away, September 30.

Matthews vs. Morehouse, away, probable date, October 7.

Matthews vs. Portageville, away, October 14.

Matthews vs. Chaffee at home, October 19.

Matthews vs. Doniphan, at home, probable date Nov. 11.

Turkey day game, at home, Matthews vs. Morehouse.

WADE TUCKER FILES FOR SHERIFF AS INDEPENDENT

Wade Tucker, of Morehouse, who was a candidate for Sheriff of New Madrid County on the Democratic ticket at the recent Primary Election and who was defeated by Sam Harris the Democratic nominee, by 207 votes, on Wednesday filed a petition with his name placed on an Independent County Clerk R. L. Jones, to have ticket as a candidate for Sheriff at the General Election. The petition filed contains 382 signers and the party emblem is designated to be a "Red Bird".

The County Clerk, as required by law has served notice to both the Democratic and Republican nominees for Sheriff and the chairmen of those political parties. The legality of the petition will be checked carefully before the request of the petition will be granted—New Madrid Record.

A high pressure education means a low pressure of knowledge.

A box of Post's Bran Flakes awaits Mrs. W. W. Lankford at The Standard office. Just clip this local and call at the office for your Bran Flakes.

New Madrid County School Notes

By Milus R. Davis

Supt. L. B. Hoy, Gideon, reports that they will have a cotton vacation of about five weeks, beginning Monday, September 19.

Supt. Owen J. Taul, Canalou, was appointed last week on the Commission by the State Board of New Madrid County Textbook Education.

The County High School Association met at New Madrid last Saturday and elected Supt. L. G. Wilson, Portageville, President; Prin. W. O. Statler, Matthews, Vice-President and Supt. Ralph McCullough, New Madrid, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Tennis Tournament is to be held at Lilbourn this year on the first and second Saturdays in October. Entries are to be sent to Supt. J. H. O'Connor, Lilbourn, not later than September 24.

The Volley Ball Tournament for both boys and girls will be held at Parma, November 12. Entries are to be sent to Supt. J. Wesley Miller, Parma.

The State aid has already been apportioned and the first payment will be made within a few days. This payment will amount to about 34½% of the total apportionment and it is estimated that about 15% more will be paid next March which is the time for the second payment. Both payments will amount to only about 50% of the amount that our schools would receive if the funds were sufficient to pay in full.

The first payment to the high school districts will be as follows:

Matthews, $4,184.83; Canalou, $2,943.21; Conran, $1,599.76; Kewanee, $1,933.47; Parma, $4,091.94; Risco, $5,062.47; Portageville, $5,1162.24; New Madrid, $4,411.21; Marston, $1,996.09; Lilburn, $6,992.84; Morehouse, $3,938.51; Gideon, $7,381.26.

The first payment to the rural schools will be the following amounts:

LaForge, $729.01; Pt. Pleasant, $588.64; Linda, $338.19; Fairview, $369.15; O'Bannon, $329.93; Scott, $459.97; LaFont, $191.28; Boekerton, $664.67; Barnes' Ridge, $92.55; Walnut Grove, $374.65; Higgerson, $126.26; Cade, $154.13; York, $344.03; Sugar Tree, $188.19; Dawson, $188.97; Pleasant Valley, $193.69; Bowman, $92.89; Wilburn, $50.57; St. Mary, $330.96; Union $121.10; Phillips, $485.78; Kendall, Groce, $171.67; Tinsley, $148.62; Oak Island, $179.59; Broadwater, $3,666.00; Hough, $161.01.

The State Superintendent states in a letter of September 1 that all the money except transportation reimbursement received from the State school fund apportionment should be deposited to the credit of the teachers' fund. He claims that the incidental fund should be regulated by the local tax rate. He means by this that the local tax rate should be divided so that the taxes paid into the incidental fund will be about one-fourth of the total amount spent for school purposes, which is in accordance with the national average, that is, 25% of money for school purposes should be used for incidentals and 75½ for teachers.

We did not know about this ruling last spring when we were making our tax estimates and made the levy as usual expecting to divide the special aid when it came in. This will make our incidental fund short in some instances if all of this State money is put into the teachers' fund.

The free textbook money will be apportiontd next month and will amount to $1.30 per child enumerated, which is about the same as was received last year. This money comes from the Foreign Insurance Fund.

FARMERS "WEEK" CUT TO 3 DAYS THIS YEAR

Missouri Farmers' Week has been shortened to three days and nights—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 18-19-20.

Farmers' Week will, as usual, be held at Columbia, under joint auspices of the University College of Agriculture and State Board of Agriculture Eleven Short Courses will be conducted daily by the College, and thirteen statewide organizations will meet.

Dr. Richard L. Sutton, explorer and big game hunter, on Tuesday night will give his new illustrated lecture on "Snap Shots from the Arctic", thrilling narrative of the recent trip of the Sutton family to the Arctic regions and Russia.

Special features are being booked for Wednesday night. Thursday night, S. F. Westbrook of Connecticut, practical philosopher and financier, (official spokesman for all of the fire, life and farm loan companies of the United States), will speak on "The Farm Home", at first hand announcing to farm leaders the current rural real estate loan and investment policies.

Low round-trip tickets will be available from all Missouri railroad stations and Pickwick bus lines. A Farmers' Week program booklet will be sent, upon request.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jessie Hamby to Ruby Hamby, lot 4 block 5, Sikes 34 addition to Sikeston.

William Oliver to A. E. Allgier, lot 14 block 39, Chaffee.

Farm & Home Savings & Loan Association to Ruskin and Laura McCoy, lots 11 and 12 part 13 blk. 44, McCoy & Tanner's 8th addition to Sikeston.

Edgar M. Wiman to N. E. Fuchs, lots 10 and 11 block 3 and lots 3 and 4 block 3; lots 16-19, Frisco addition to Sikeston.

Chaffee Building & Loan Association to Virginia F. Heyman, lot 12 block 42, Chaffee.

C. H. Yanson to G. W. Presnell, part lot 6 block 32 McCoy & Tanner's 6th addition to Sikeston.

Peter Bullinger to Unino Central Life Insurance Co., land 5-28-12.

Charles G. Hinze to W. H. Harris, lots 11, 17 and 18 block 1 E. L. Miller's addition to Oran.

J. P. Lightner, et al, to Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., 61.866a 3-29-14.

Homer B. and Alena A. Dyer to Bertha Bain, lots 1-5 and part 6 block 3 Well's addition to Fornfelt; lots 12-15 and part 16 block 3 Well's addition to Fornfelt.

Goldie and Eugene J. Meyers to Ada Stokes, 6.12a 25-26-13.

Raymond Jeffries, et al to Jessie Dillon, lots 2 and 3 block 9, Crowder.

John Laud Minner and Minnie E. Black to Robert Q. Black, 320a 29-28-12.

J. E. and Cora Boyette to Chas. D. and Lora Cooper, lots 7-12, blk. 7 Crowder.

Roscoe and Hazel Wittecke to W. M. Mills, lot 11 block 1 Sunset addition to Sikeston.

John M. and Mollie Sanders to J. T. Albert, land 23-29-14.

Lula Bills to E. B. and Velma Clark, part lot 7 Commerce.—Benton Democrat.

Vandalia—Local Presbyterian church to alter and redecorate their church building.

MERCHANTS SWAMPED WITH CUSTOMERS IN COTTON TOWNS

Special to The Standard

Kennett, September 16.—Merchants in Kennett and other nearby towns are arranging to have additional salespeople Saturday, anticipating record business due to the marketing of cotton. Last Saturday was the busiest day since 1929, business men report.

People are buying extreme necessities with the cotton receipts, and are taking advantage of lower prices on manufactured items. Cotton pick sacks were sold out a week ago and new orders placed. The picking started a week earlier than was expected.

At Cardwell, near here, last Saturday, the town was jammed with shoppers and one of the largest stores had to close its doors and allow 50 persons to come in at a time, so great was the jam.

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"You Can't Sell 'Em Where They Ain't"

Beaver hat. Checkered vest. A guitar to do his advertising. But make no mistake—there was a salesman. You never found him out at the edge of town, wasting his breath on the wide open spaces of Scatterville. Not on your life! He was always on the public square and just as close up to the courthouse as he could get—town marshal and tin badge notwithstanding. His market was the crowd. He made his profit off people. And to him must go credit for that immortal saying, "You can't sell 'em where they ain't!"

Times have changed. The roar of industry has drowned out the strumming of the guitar in the hands of O. Henry's medicine man. Neon signs have replaced kerosene lamps. Pink snake oil, in bottles, has given way to merchandise of known merit. But the impulse of the human heart, the habits of the crowd and the basic principles of doing business at a profit remain the same—you still "can't sell 'em where they ain't!"

For that reason, merchants who insist on making money do not cross the waste-line—do not spend good, round dollars for advertising in newspapers bound for Scaterville. They know that profitable results bear a close relationship to the concentration of a newspaper's circulation in the close-in area of concentrated population.

The Sikeston Standard offers advertisers the highest percentage of concentrated local circulation of any newspaper.

Your advertising appropriation, invested in The Sikeston Standard, stays on this side of the waste-line, 95 per cent goes where more than 20,000 people with annual spendable incomes aggregating better than ten and a half million dollars, live close to your place of business.

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Phone 223

Sikeston Cleaning Company

"We Really Clean What

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MOREHOUSE

(By Dories James)

(Items for last week)

R. D. Clayton of St. Louis was a business visitor here Friday.

Bill Woods of Sikeston transacted business in our city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baker had business in Gray Ridge, Monday.

Charles Corliss of Pharris Ridge was a business visitor here, Tuesday.

A. W. Colyer and son, Charles were business visitors in Dexter, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Valz and children visited relatives in Canalou, Sunday.

Constable Brown Jewell of Sikeston was a business visitor here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Tilby McFadden and son, J. L., of Sikeston visited her mother, Mrs. M. J. Gully, here, Sunday.

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Perry Allen and Ted and Roscoe Davis of Gray Ridge were Sunday visitors here.

Mrs. Chalin Markus of Perkins is visiting her mother, Mrs. Fred Harp, here this week.

Miss Mariam Cowgur of Bloomfield was the guest of Miss Doris James Wednesday night.

Mrs. Anna Kinder has returned home after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Colyer and son, A. W., Jr., visited Mrs. Colyer's mother in Dexter, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rhines and Mr. and Mrs Glenn Rhines and infant son visited relatives in Essex, Sunday.

Ruben Valz and sister, Miss Ruby, and Miss Doris James were guests of Mr. and Mrs. McMann in Canalou Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fisher and son, Bobbie, Mrs. Galbraith Leming and Mrs. George Boone were week-end visitors in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. James and children, Harold, Mildred and Claude of Galatia, Ill., spent the past week visiting his brother, Wm. James and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. James and daughter, Miss Doris, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. James and children, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Cowgur, of Bloomfield.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

(By Miss Louise Peal)

(Items for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Putnam and family visited in Charleston, Sunday.

Mrs. George Pearman and family shopped in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Graham and daughter motored to Charleston, Sunday.

Oscar Graham and Miss Ruth Miller of Cape Girardeau visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conyers of East Prairie visited Mr. and Mrs. King and family, Sunday.

Grace Lawson, who has been very sick with pneumonia, is reported slightly better.

Miss Thelma McDaniel has enrolled at the State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau.

Mesdames Glenn Clippard, Blackwell and Moss and Earl Blackwell shopped in Sikeston Monday.

R. H. Mackley, Miss Thelma Levan and Mrs. Bess Myers were in Cape Girardeau, Thursday.

Miss Ellen Mooney of St. Louis, who has been visiting Mrs. Ben F. Marshall, returned home Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McDaniel and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moyers in Morley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Brasher and son visited the families of Jesse and Jim Brasher in Morley, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Teague and sons of Fornfelt were the dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McDaniel and family last Monday.

The Blodgett Epworth League was well represented at the district meeting at Chaffee Tuesday evening. Those attending were: Misses Ruby and Thelma Munell, Janet Graham, Carolyn Stebbins, Thelma and Jeanette McDaniel, Burmita King, Jane Sadler and Louise Peale, and Roy Wyatt, Herman Wagoner, Austin McDaniel, E. P. Putnam, John Paul Stewart, Gene and John Fred Nunnelee and Ward Enterline.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CANALOU

(By Miss Ethel Wright

(Items for last week)

Mrs. Pearl C. Werner shopped in Sikeston, Saturday.

Hugh May of Morlev was here a short time Monday afternoon on business.

Mrs. James D Kochel and Miss Appalone Taul shopped in Sikeston Saturday afternoon.

Miss Eliza Ellen Browning, who is teaching at Laval, spent the week-end at her home here.

C. W. Harris, who is section foreman for the Frisco at Lilbourn, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Jim Poe, who has been ill for the past several years, is reported to be very much improved at this writing.

Mrs. Geraldine Young, who is teaching in the high school here spent the week-end at her home in Cape Girardeau.

Rev. Margraves is in the second week of the revival at the M. E. Church at this place. Interest seems to be growing.

Supt. Owen J. Taul and Amel D. Taul attended the athletic meeting held at the New Madrid high school building Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Yeakey and children of near Tanner spent Sunday with Mrs. Yeakey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Summers.

Evangelist B. F. Huddleston of Carrington, Mo., is to begin a series of meetings at the Church of Christ here Thursday evening, September 22.

Mrs. Ernest Taul and little daughter, Betty Joyce, visited the former's aunt, Mrs. Lester Poe and family near Matthews, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Glena Wilson and little 5-year-old daughter received several cuts and bruises as a result of a car accident that occurred in St. Louis Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Wilson is a sister to Mrs. Ernest Taul of this place.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

(By Ann Latimer)

(Items for last week)

Frank Sutherland has returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashby were business visitors in Jackson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Myers have returned from a visit in Chicago

Davis Guthrie has gone to St Louis, where he has accepted a position.

Miss Herman Schuh of St. Louis is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Frank Russell.

Miss Lillian Roberts has gone to Webster Groves, where she will teach this winter.

Marion Rowe and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Love and son left Sunday for a visit in Fulton, Mo.

Mrs. John Joe Russell and son, Jr., of Helena, Ark., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis.

Homer Caulk of Fort Sill, Oklahoma has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fox, this week.

Mrs. J. A. Strain of Sacramento, Calif., is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Trickey.

Miss Belle Wigdor of this city and sister, Mrs. Joe Kohn of Hayti are spending this week in St Louis.

Miss Marietta Fowlkes has returned to Madison, Ill., where she will teach this winter in the city schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stotts and daughter, Mary Reid, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holloway spent Sunday with relatives in Centralia, Ill.

Miss Helen Chapman has returned from a visit in Helena, Ark She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Willis Chapman, who were her guests for the week-end.

Misses Evelyn Lee and Ruth Williams and Charles Leonard Kirk went to Cape Girardeau last Tuesday to re-enter Teachers' Training College for the Fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tinnell, Miss Berniece Tinnell and Mrs. Paul Halter and son of Memphis, Tenn., were called her Sunday by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Dave Tinnell, who is a patient in St. Mary's Infirmary in Cairo.

The Southeast Missouri Checker Association held a tournament in this city Thursday. O. M. Headlee of Morehouse and E. C. Masdon of Cruthersville, secretary-treasurer of the Association, tied for first honor, H. Steele of Matthews won second and Dr. Charles Reid of this city, president of the Association, won third place. Ten players took part in the game.

At the meeting of the local W. C. T. U. held this week, the following new officers were chosen to serve the ensuing year: President, Mrs. John Bird; Vice-Presidents, Mesdames J. S. Compere, P. A. Kasey, S. W. Driggers, John Fleurderlys, Charles Trickey and W. T. Marshall; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Fon Scofield; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Frank Hequembourg; Treasurer, Mrs. A. H. Marshall.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

(By Mrs. C. A. Stallings)

(Items for last week)

Oran defeated Morley in a ball game here Sunday.

Cotton picking weather has been ideal and the short crop will be soon harvested.

Mrs. L. S. Gipson spent Monday at Sikeston with her daughter, Mrs. Ben Morrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd DeLisle and son of Portageville visited Mrs. Arma Blackney a short while Sunday.

Misses Ruth Bateman and Ocie Kilgore of Sikeston visited at the U. G. Ragains home Sunday afternoon.

Fred Moseley and Miss Margaret Beardslee of Salem visited a short while Sunday with Mrs. Rex Boyce.

Miss Lucille McDonough of the grade school faculty at Risco is home for a few weeks cotton vacation.

Mrs. Rex Boyce and Miss Leona Emerson visited Mrs. Charles Bess at Charleston Wednesday afternoon.

G. D. Harris left Monday for Whitewater, where he will conduct the singing in a revival the next two weeks.

Dorris Ragains and Willard Sullivan, who are attending school at Cape Girardeau were Morley visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Harris Foster and children, Miss Marie Esmon and Harold Perdue were Oran business visitors Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and sons of Matthews were 12:00 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Foster, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McDaniel and family of Blodgett and Aunt Mollie Congleton were 12 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moyers, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gerhardt and Mr. and Mrs. John Mize of Cape Girardeau were visitors at the D. A. Mize home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Wyatt and children and Mrs. M. Wyatt of Dexter were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Darter.

The first meeting of the Morley Study Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Harris Foster Friday and all members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Boyce and Joan, Mrs. Ruth Finney and children were among the Morley people who attended the circus Tuesday at Cape Girardeau.

Hal Philips, who has been at St. Francis Hospital at Cape Girardeau receiving treatment for a thrice broken leg, was removed to his home again Wednesday.

Miss Nancy Leslie returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit with her aunt and cousin at Potosi. She went to Oran Monday, where she entered school for the winter.

Misses Wilma Ragains and Dorothea Miller of the Sikeston grade faculty spent Sunday at the U. G. Ragainst home. Miss Wilma resumed her work Monday after several days illness.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM KEWANEE

(By Miss Helen Shanks)

(Items for last week)

Miss Helen Sheridan spent Sunday with Miss Ollie Sheppard.

T. J. Graves of Portageville was a business visitor here, Monday.

W. W. Slake of Sikeston was a business visitor in Kewanee Friday.

Miss Virgie Westcoat has returned to St. Louis after having spent several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Westcoat.

Mr. and Mrs. D. York spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. T. L. Shanks.

Mrs. Lily McGee and mother, Mrs. A. L. Gould were Sikeston visitors Thursday.

S. E. Billington and sons, Beril and Marion, motored to St. Louis, Sunday.

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